

THE WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity—This afternoon and tonight fair; Sunday fair; continued warm weather; light northerly wind, changing to fresh westerly.

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JAPS LOSE 1000 MEN AT PORT ARTHUR

RUSSIAN CRUISER BOGATYR STRANDED ON ROCKS

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21, 6:28 P. M.—THE GOVERNMENT TODAY RECEIVED NEWS CONFIRMATORY OF THE RUMORS IN CIRCULATION HERE THAT GENERAL STOESSEL HAS MADE A SUCCESSFUL SORTIE FROM PORT ARTHUR, RESULTING IN THE DEFEAT OF THE JAPANESE WITH THE LOSS OF MORE THAN 1000 KILLED OR WOUNDED. THE RUSSIAN LOSSES WERE 116 KILLED OR WOUNDED. THE MOVEMENT WAS CARRIED OUT BY A COMBINATION WITH A TRAIN BRINGING IN WAR MUNITIONS AND SUPPLIES AND GENERAL STOESSEL'S FORCE, COMMUNICATION BEING MAINTAINED BY WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. THE JAPANESE BARRED THE ROUTE BETWEEN THE TRAIN AND GENERAL STOESSEL'S FORCE, WHEREUPON THE RUSSIANS ATTACKED AND ROUTED THE JAPANESE. AFTER THE ENGAGEMENT GENERAL STOESSEL'S FORCE, TOGETHER WITH THE TRAIN, RETURNED TO PORT ARTHUR.

RUSSIAN CRUISER BOGATYR DESTROYED.

Protected Ship, Stranded on Rocks Near Vladivostok Will Be a Total Loss.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21.—8:30 p. m.—In spite of the continued denials from the admiralty here, reports emanating from Russian sources are persistently circulating that the Russian protected cruiser, Bogatyr is on the rocks near Vladivostok.

Her exact position is not revealed, and Rear Admiral Jensen, according to the reports, is making determined efforts to save her, with what is considered a good chance of success. It is known positively that the Bogatyr has not been blown up, no necessity for such action having yet arisen. It is believed to be likely, however, that the Japanese will make an attempt to stop the salvage operations.

There is a large dock at Vladivostok and if the Bogatyr can be placed therein the necessary repairs will be made without difficulty.

LONDON, May 21, 12:58 p. m.—A dispatch to the St. James Gazette from Kobe, Japan, dated today, after confirming the report of the stranding of the Russian protected cruiser Bogatyr on the rocks near the entrance to Vladivostok, adds that the Bogatyr subsequently was blown up by the Russians to prevent her falling into the hands of the Japanese.

The Bogatyr, which, according to the Kobe correspondent of the St. James Gazette, has been destroyed, was a fine modern cruiser of 6,750 tons displacement and 20,500 normal horsepower. She was built at the Vulcan Works, Stettin, Germany, was completed in 1902, was 416 feet long, had 54 feet beam and drew 20½ feet of water.

The armament of the Bogatyr consisted of twelve 6-inch guns, twelve 8-inch guns, six 1.6-inch guns, two 1.4-inch guns and two smaller rapid-fire guns.

She had six torpedo tubes, her armored deck was two inches thick and she had five inches of nickel steel armor over her gun positions. The speed of the Bogatyr was estimated to be over 23 knots, she could carry 1100 tons of coal and her crew numbered 530 men.

JAPS MUST CONTROL SEA AND PORT ARTHUR

NEW CHIWANG, May 21, Friday, Midnight (Delayed in transmission).—The officials have not received any further information regarding the fighting which resulted in the retreat of the Japanese on Feng Wang Cheng, but there is good authority for saying that the Japanese movements in the direction of Liao Yang and Hai Cheng were for the purpose of causing the Russians in this vicinity to move northward, thus giving the Japanese an opportunity to complete their

preparations to capture Port Arthur. When the Japanese begin a determined movement in this vicinity it will be from Feng Wang Cheng and New Chiwang. They figure that it does not matter what may be the fate of the Yalu army if they can continue to control the sea and Port Arthur.

The Japanese are still fortifying the hills on the neck of and between Tallen Wan and Kin Chou bays. Many rapid fire guns, protected by sandbags, have been mounted there with the object of resisting a sortie of the beleaguered garrison.

A spy set fire to the woodwork of the water tanks of the local railroad station this afternoon. It is believed this was part of a plot to injure the railroad.

RUSSIANS LOOTING HOMES AT HANKOW.

SEOUL, May 20, Friday, 4 p. m. (Delayed in transmission).—The Japanese consul at Gensan reports that about 300 Russians occupied Kan Kow (Hankow), forty miles north of Gensan, May 19, with the usual stories of looting and rapine by the Cossacks. The main body of 3000 men is said to be following the force which occupied Kan Kow.

There is no telegraphic communication north of Gensan. The consul there believes that part of the force which recently attacked Ando is retreating from Nin Yang. It is considered possible that the Cossacks have had a base at Kyong Song for weeks past.

The Gensan garrison, which consists of a battalion of infantry, will not take the initiative, but will await an attack, which is not expected.

The Japanese authorities are inclined to ridicule the Russian movements on the coast and wish for the advance of a larger column, making it worth while to cut it off. The only sufferers, it is pointed out, are the Koreans.

The Mitsui company has shipped last year's Ginseng crop, valued at \$1,000,000 from Chemulpo to Chefoo.

The differences with the Russians, a French firm, have finally been settled. The Japanese secure a five years' contract.

ONLY ONE PRISONER.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The Japanese Legation has received the following telegram from Tokyo:

"On May 20 one company of the enemy appeared six miles north of Taku Shen and was paralleled by our infantry. Fled with many casualties. One Russian taken prisoner. No Japanese casualties."

RUSSIANS ROUTED AT TAKUSHAN.

TOKIO, May 21 (6 p. m.).—The Japanese forces which landed at Takushan



A RUSSIAN CURB ON JAPANESE CUNNING—A RAILWAY PATROL OF COSSACKS ARRESTING JAPANESE SUSPECTS DISGUISED AS COOLIES.

Thursday surrounded and routed a force of Russian cavalry at 7 o'clock Friday evening in the neighborhood of Wang Chai Tung, seven miles north of Taku Shen. The Russian force, which consisted of about one squadron, lost many men killed or wounded as well as a captain, who was captured. The Japanese sustained no losses.

TOGO HANGING ROUND PORT ARTHUR.

LONDON, May 21.—A dispatch to the Japanese Legation from Tokyo says Vice Admiral Togo has reported today as follows:

"The garrison and the torpedo-boat, destroyers and torpedo-boat flotilla approached Port Arthur yesterday for the purpose of reconnoitering, which was successfully effected with little damage, in spite of a hot cross-fire from the forts. There were no casualties on our side."

RUMOR OF BATTLE.

CHEFOO, May 21 (10:30 p. m.).—There is a rumor among the Chinese here that a battle was fought on the Liao Tung peninsula today. It cannot, however, be confirmed.

RUSSIANS COLLIDE WITH KOREANS.

SEOUL, May 21 (11:30 a. m.).—The Japanese consul at Gensan reports that the first collision between Russian and Korean troops has taken place at Kan Kow (Hankow), the recent point of the northern Tong Hak disturbances. Cossacks attacked the so-called city castle at 7 o'clock in the evening of May 19 and exchanged shots for two hours with the Korean garrison of 300 men, who lost one man killed. The Russians are supposed to have retired toward the north.

DRIFTWOOD NOTES FROM ARMIES.

LIANG TUNG, Friday, May 20 (Delayed in transmission).—Information brought to headquarters indicates that Japanese troops are suffering from a terrible epidemic or beri beri, due to the quality of the rice they are eating.

The Japanese have abandoned the attempt to float the Russian cruiser Varieg, sunk off Chemulpo, Korea, at the outbreak of the war.

It is announced that numerous changes are impending among the commanders of the vessels at Port Arthur. The Chinese report that many bodies of Japanese sailors are coming ashore at Tallenwan bay, near which (in Kerr bay), the Japanese torpedo boat No. 48 was sunk May 12, and the Japanese cruiser Miyako sank May 15.

SKRYDLOFF HAS NOT MET ALEXIEFF.

HARBIN, May 21.—The expected meeting of Vice Admiral Skrydloff and Vice Admiral Alexieff has been postponed. The admiral arrived here this morning and proceeded to Vladivostok without going to Mukden. Admiral Skrydloff is expected to return to Harbin while a portion of his staff remains here to supervise the dispatch of freight and correspondence for warships of both squadrons.

The railroad is free of Chinese bandits as far south as Mukden.

SAYS HE FIRED LUMBER.

USED CRIMINAL CUNNING WHILE ROBBING BANK IN REDDING.

REDDING, May 21.—Paul Frederick Clifford, a native of Glasgow, aged 40 years, who arrived here Wednesday from Seattle, appeared before Deputy District Attorney Carr today and confessed that he fired the Redding yards of the Terry Lumber Company, which were partially destroyed by fire Thursday night, causing a loss of \$12,000. He said he fired the lumber so that the fire would draw the officers of the town to the scene and he could go ahead without danger of being molested in robbing the bank of Northern California in this city. Officers believe that Clifford is insane.

NOTED SCIENTIST VISITS UNIVERSITY.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Charles S. Banks, government entomologist in the Philippine Islands, arrived in Berkeley today from Manila en route to Washington. He will spend a few days visiting the University and conferring with the entomologists of the department of agriculture there.

Banks reports the Philippines to be in a prosperous condition and says there is quite a field for scientific research in the new possessions. He is being entertained by prominent Filipinos in Berkeley.

JAPANESE HAVE CAPTURED KAI CHOU.

Russians Have Been Driven Back to Tashi Chi in Direction of Newchang.

TOKIO, May 21, Noon.—Although it has not been officially reported, it is said on good authority that the Japanese forces have captured Kai Chou, driving the Russians back to Tashi Chi in the direction of New Chang, and preventing the advance of the Russian troops at New Chang in the direction of Kai Chou.

The bombardment by the Japanese, of the vicinity of Kai Chou recently was

probably in preparation for the landing of forces in the northwest corner of the Liao Tung peninsula for the purpose of capturing New Chang and co-operating with the other armies in the march on Liao Yang.

Probably a small Japanese force has been landed at Kai Chou Bay.

Taku Shan, where Japanese forces were landed May 19, is at the mouth of the Tayang river, west of the Yalu.

TRAIN-WRECK AT TYLER HENSHAW SAN LEANDRO. NEAR DEATH.

RAILS SPREAD ON NARROW GAUGE BUT EVERYBODY ESCAPES INJURY.

SUDDENLY STRICKEN DOWN WITH APPENDICITIS—OPERATED ON AT FABIOLA.

SAN LEANDRO, May 21.—A light special train, consisting of an engine and caboose, from Alvarado, was wrecked here last night at 6 o'clock through the spreading of the rails of the track, which is of narrow gauge.

The wreck occurred about half a mile from Davis street.

The caboose and engine were badly damaged, but the crew, consisting of the engineer, fireman, brakeman and conductor, escaped serious injury.

It is thought that the excessive heat of the last few days may have had something to do with the spreading of the rails.

Tyler Henshaw, president of the Henshaw, Bulkeley Company of San Francisco, and brother of Frederick W. Henshaw, Justice of the Supreme Court, and William G. Henshaw, president of the Union Savings Bank, is lying at the Fabiola Hospital in a precarious state as the result of an operation for an acute attack of appendicitis. Up to a few days ago Mr. Henshaw was apparently in perfect health, but on Wednesday he was taken down by a sudden seizure. He was removed to Fabiola Hospital and operated on the following day, Drs. Lillencrantz, Buten and Holmes officiating. He made a rally last evening, but today his condition is worse. His state is so alarming that his brother, William G. Henshaw, who departed for New York last Sunday, has been telegraphed to return at once. Mr. Henshaw resides with his family at 122 Lake street.

POPULISTS FOR DEADLY WORK OF HIDDEN MINES.

WILL PUT NO TICKET IN FIELD IF PUBLISHER IS NOMINATED.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21, 5:55 p. m.—Details of Rear Admiral Wittsoeff's mail dispatch to Vice Admiral Alexieff (transmitted by telegram today to High Admiral Grand Duke Alexieff), which was not made public, establish the fact that mines planted by the Russian longshoremen are responsible for the destruction of the Hatsuse and the damage sustained by the battleships of the Fuji type off Port Arthur. It is said that no sub-marine boats were sent out of Port Arthur. The suppression of the statement regarding the mines was due to the fact that it explained where they were located. A number of unexploded mines lie in the same vicinity and it is not deemed wise to describe their position. Each mine contains 74 pounds of gun-cotton.

The admiralty thinks it highly probable that it was a battleship of the Fuji type which struck a mine, but that she kept afloat and was eventually lost, as a heavy gale was blowing. In any event it is said that at least two months in dock will be required to repair the damage done to the vessel.

Satisfaction is expressed at the excellent condition of the torpedo boat destroyers as shown by the report that sixteen of these boats went out in the attempt to destroy other Japanese ships. The haste with which the Russian protected cruiser Novik put to sea to support the smaller craft is pointed to by the authorities as showing that not only is the harbor entrance clear, but that Admiral Wittsoeff is convinced that he has taken up all the mines laid by the Japanese. A report from Wittsoeff some days ago announced that he had exploded three Japanese mines.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE.

Of Furniture, Carpets, Etc., at No. 215 Thirteenth Street, Near Allice, Oakland, on Tuesday, May 24, 1904, at 10:30 A. M. By order of Mrs. J. H. Foster, I shall sell the furniture of this nine-room dwelling, consisting of: Parlor suit, bric-a-brac, lace curtains, bouquet tables, carpets and rugs, nice dining-room furniture, extension table, sideboard, crockery, glassware, bedroom suits in walnut and oak, hair top mattress, wire and wool mattresses, pillows, bed clothing, kitchen utensils, garden tools, etc., etc.

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COWARDLY FATHER SLAYS HELPLESS SON.

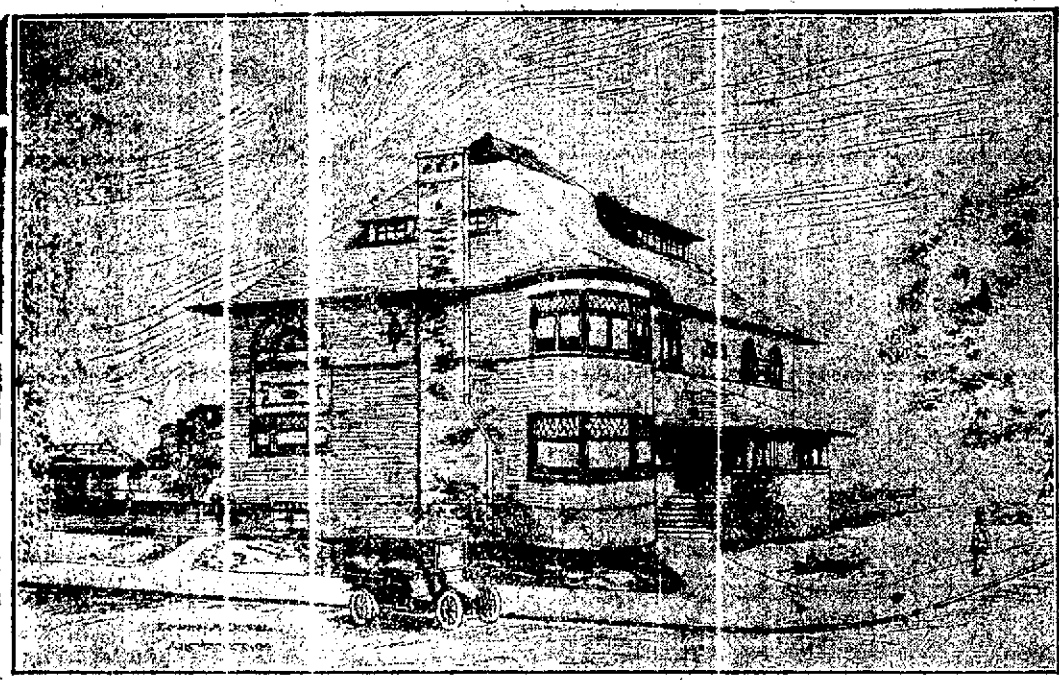
Stabs Paralytic Offspring in Back and Then Suicides With Bullet in His Head.

PASADENA, May 21.—Terrell B. Thomas, local manager of the Ketchikan Canner Lumber Company, this morning killed his 8-year-old son, Paul, a paralytic, by stabbing him in the back with a hunting knife. He then took his own life by shooting himself in the head with a revolver.

Thomas is supposed to have suddenly become demented.

He attacked the boy as he lay sleeping, shortly after Mrs. Thomas had left the house, and when she returned an hour later she found them both dead.

Thomas was 33 years of age and had been engaged in the lumber business at various points in Southern California for several years.



NEW HOME OF EMIL LEHNHARDT.

This is a picture of the new home of Emil Lehnhardt, the well known Oakland merchant, on the north-west corner of Knox and Telegraph avenue. This beautiful home marks another improvement in what is destined to be one of Oakland's most favored boulevards. Everything has been planned to make this a model home in every respect, the building having plenty of ground around it and presenting a very artistic and inviting appearance. The plans were designed by Edwin A. Duval, a graduate of the Oakland Polytechnic High School of the class of 1903 and who is rapidly establishing himself as a prominent architect.

HYMAN SAVES HIS CHILD.

ADOPTION PROCEEDINGS WERE
REGULAR—CASE OF
LILLIE.

The records in the matter of the adoption of a little girl by David and Lillie Hyman, seven years ago, were found somewhat tangled this morning, but were intact and the foster parents of the child who are now threatened with the loss of her through the claim of the mother were set at ease by Judge Ogden confirming their adoption.

A writ of habeas corpus has been served on David Hyman in San Francisco ordering him to produce the child in court and show cause why the mother should not have the child. When the order signed by Judge Dunne was served upon him Hyman immediately employed an attorney to look the matter up and it was discovered that the proceedings were seemingly incomplete and that the adoption of the child had never been carried out. After looking through many books today it was found that the case had been entered under the number 204, while the papers bore the number 14,402. How this could have happened the clerks and court were unable to explain, but it showed that what had

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MONTE CRESTI WILL BE ASSAULTED.

CAPE HAYTLEN, Hayti, May 21.—A courier of the Associated Press who has arrived here from Guayubin brings the news that Monte Cristi, on the north coast of Santo Domingo, which is held by the Dominican revolutionists, will be attacked by land and sea today.

It was announced from Cape Haytlen May 18 that the Haytlen authorities had authorized a Dominican cruiser to disembark a strong contingent of troops on Haytlen territory for the investment of Monte Cristi, which adjoins Haytlen territory, this being necessary for the fruitfulness of the many bombardments of Monte Cristi by the Dominican gunboat fleet.

COMMANDER POTTS GOES TO BROOKLYN.

BERLIN, May 21.—Lieut.-Commander T. M. Potts, the United States naval attaché at Berlin, Vienna and Rome has received a cablegram from Washington notifying him of his detachment and ordering him to join the Brooklyn, the flagship of the Southern Atlantic squadron at Gibraltar.

MEXICAN SAILORS FOR NEW CRUISERS.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Ten officers and 104 sailors and marines of the Mexican navy arrived here today to take charge of the Mexican cruisers Tampico and Ycaha Cruz, built at the Crescent shipyard at Elizabethport, N. J.

WILL PLEASE OAKLAND LADIES.

An Array of Latest Effects Now on Display.

The opening of the Ladies' Toggery, at corner of Eleventh and Washington in the Bacon Block next week ushers in one of the best stores in the State that caters exclusively to high grade inner and outer garments for women. Messrs. Cassell, Lechner and Kreidel, the enterprising merchants who are connected with this store are formerly with large Eastern manufacturers.

The knowledge of the manufacturing business has placed them in an excellent position to know the needs of the people of a city of this character and the selection of the stock was a judicious one.

While most handsome fashions and appointments have been placed in this store, the stock is in keeping with these embellishments, in fact everything is the best.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:
Timothy Kelleher, Oakland.....40
Lizzie O'Connor, San Francisco.....34
Alfred Larson, Oakland.....34
Hannah Jacobson, Oakland.....21
George W. Smith, Oakland, over.....21
Mary A. Moriarty, Oakland, over.....18
Albert G. Krenkel, Alameda, over.....18
Florence V. Williams, Alameda, over.....18
Claus H. Meynert, Midway.....22
Constance I. Hutchison, Berkeley.....17
Frank R. Wilson, Colorado.....22
Eloise Mann, Kenwood.....29

PETTY THEFTS.

Frank Carlo reports to the police that his bicycle was stolen yesterday from his residence, 416 Fourth street.
George Batton reports that forty feet of garden hose was stolen from the lawn of his home, 913 Eighteenth street.
R. H. Jordan, 1810 West street, reports the loss of carpenter tools from a building in the course of erection at Hillside and College avenues.

EASTERN VISITORS.

The Hon. Charles Curtis and wife of Clinton, Iowa, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craft of East Oakland.

A TRYING EXPERIENCE.

Other day mom combed my hair—
Scraped it down shiny head.
That was pretty hard to bear.
For she scrubbed me till I said,
"Cut it now, and let me be!"
But my shoulder she jes' shook.
"Hush your mouth right up," says she;
"You're to have your picture took."
Jammed me in a stiff, starched shirt,
Stuck-up collar and a tie.
Made me wear the shoes 'at hurt.
Jerked me till she made me cry.
Took me to a man who screwed
Up my neck in some lame crook—
Called it a "good attitude."
Then I had my picture took.
Yestiddy the pictures come.
Say: If that kid looks like me
Then I guess I've earned some.
It's the limit! Hully gee!
Still, I kind o' recollect
I ses' felt the way I look;
It's no worse 'n I'd expect.
Way I had my picture took.
—Chicago News.

NO ELECTION OF BISHOP.

TIME-LIMIT OF VOTERS ON
FLOOR AT GENERAL
CONFERENCE.

LOS ANGELES, May 21.—On the eleventh ballot taken by the Methodist General Conference last night, the result of which was announced this morning, there was no election. J. R. Day received 299, R. J. Cooke, 288; H. C. Jennings, 30, W. A. Quayle, 18, and J. W. E. Bowen, 13. The result shows a loss of twelve votes for Dr. Day from the previous ballot and a gain of sixteen for Dr. Cooke. Predictions are now freely made that a dark horse will be the eighth bishop elected. The most prominently mentioned in this connection is Dr. W. A. Quayle of Kansas City.

The time of this morning's session was almost completely taken up with a discussion of the question of restoring the pastoral time limit.

A sensation was caused early in the session by the adoption of a resolution by a rising vote of the conference, excluding from the privileges of the hall the representatives of a local newspaper on account of the publication this morning of an article regarding the fight alleged to be in progress against Dr. J. R. Day, the leading candidate for the bishopric.

The twelfth ballot resulted in no election. Dr. J. R. Day receiving 392, R. J. Cooke, 197; W. A. Quayle, 60; H. C. Jennings, 15; S. W. Smith, 11. Seven hundred and fifteen votes were cast, necessary to a choice of 477.

Dr. Cooke then withdrew, saying that he had no desire to be a party to a long-continued contest. He thanked his friends for their loyal support and hoped that no more ballots would be cast for him. Recess was then taken.

The committee on state of church has decided by a large majority vote, after a warm discussion, to recommend to the General Conference that it prepare a petition to Congress on the subjects of polygamy and divorce. It will ask Congress, if the report of the committee is adopted, to enact a constitutional amendment providing uniform divorce laws in all the States and Territories.

The subject as to whether church congregations shall employ individual communion cups has so been thrashed out in the committee and its report from that body will recommend that a rule be adopted making it possible for any church to adopt individual cups by a two-thirds vote of the membership of a quarterly conference. This subject has produced spirited debate, although there were no speeches in favor of any radical change from the present system. The idea of individual cups has some strong supporters, and it is likely to cause a wordy contest when it finally reaches the floor of the main body.

Today is the last day for the missionary exhibit which has been one of the features of the present conference. More than 90,000 persons have visited it since its opening May 4th.

EQUITY INVOLVED AGAINST HARRIMAN.

NEWARK, N. J., May 21.—The hearing of arguments on the petition of E. H. Harriman and Winslow S. Pierce for an injunction against the distribution of assets of the Northern Securities Company, under the announced plan, was continued before United States Judge Bradford today.

Elihu Root, attorney for the Northern Securities Company, resumed his argument yesterday. He maintained that the decision of the court did not adjudicate the plaintiff to be the legal owners of the stock in question, and that the United States Circuit Court, sitting

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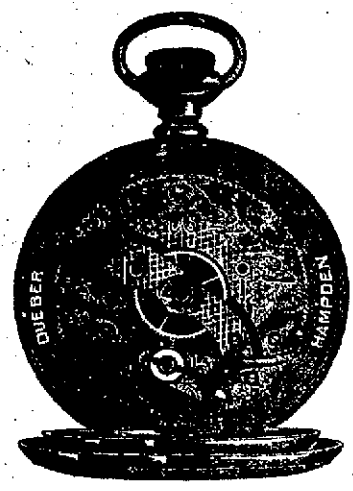
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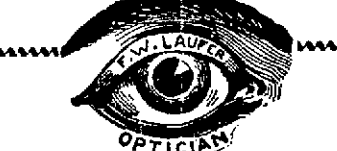
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A FEW fine work and delivery horses for sale cheap. R. C. Kennedy's Ranch, Mt. Eden, Cal., near Russell station.

SEVEN lodgings-houses, \$250 to \$600; cash or part credit; several bargains. F. Kings, 467 9th st., near Bkwy.

FOUR housekeeping rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished; also 2 rooms. F. Kings, 467 9th st., near Bkwy.

WANTED—Position to do general housework; good cook. Apply Box 1491, Tribune Office.

HORSE, phaeton, harness and 2 fresh cows for sale. Apply 1429 Bay St., Alameda.

THE LATEST NEWS.

PUGET SOUND LUMBER CO. LEAVES HOME AND SELLS OUT.

Big Concern Purchased By Charles Nelson Company, Which Has Unlimited Resources.

The property of the Puget Sound Lumber Company in this city has changed hands.

The concern will hereafter be under the management of the Charles Nelson Company of San Francisco, which is one of the largest lumber and mill concerns on the Pacific Coast.

The Charles Nelson Company wanted to secure the local plant and business.

The Puget Sound Company put a figure

on its stock and good will and the offer was met and the transfer made.

The change took place at noon today.

The consideration is up in the hundreds of thousands, but those acquainted with it refuse to divulge it.

George W. Fisher, who has for years been the capable manager of the Puget Sound Lumber Company here, because of his invaluable information and ability in the business will remain in close relationship to the new concern.

STATE DELEGATES COLLEGE RIVALRY FOR CHICAGO. IN ATHLETICS.

MCKINLEY CHAIRMAN AND PARTY WILL LEAVE FOR EAST JUNE 15.

RESULT OF INTER-COLLEGIATE MEETING HELD AT CAMBRIDGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—A meeting of the California delegates to the National Republican Convention was held today in the rooms of the State Central Committee.

Organization was effected by the action of Judge J. W. McKinley of Los Angeles as chairman and Jacob Steppacher as secretary.

All of the delegates-at-large announced their intention of going to Chicago.

It was decided that the delegation should start on June 15 and each member was assessed \$10 for expenses.

A carload of California delegates and trunks will be taken East to be distributed at the headquarters of the delegation in the Auditorium hotel at Chicago.

The district delegations have been completed as follows:

Fourth district—M. A. Gunst, A. D. Porter; alternates—D. Sullivan, H. G. W. Dinkelspiel.

Fifth district—H. R. Countryman, San Francisco; Mitchell Phillips, Santa Clara; alternates—J. H. Soper and C. P. Brasian.

CAMBRIDGE, May 21.—At the meeting of the following were the results:

440 yard dash, won by C. B. Long, Yale. Time, 44.5 seconds.

One mile, won by C. B. Alcott, Yale. Time, 4 minutes 26.1 seconds. (Equals dual record.)

120 yards hurdle, won by E. J. Clapp, Yale. Time 15.3 seconds. Dual record for this event lowered 1.5 seconds, but not allowed because winner kicked down three hurdles.

Half-mile run, won by W. A. Schick Jr., Harvard. Time 10 seconds.

Shot put won by H. Lemoine, Harvard. Time, 1 minute 50 seconds.

Score: Yale 25, Harvard 23.

High jump, won by F. L. Murphy, Harvard. Height 5 feet 10 inches.

Points for high jump even: Harvard 5, Yale 24.

Score: Yale 275, Harvard 284.

Two mile run, won by A. King, Harvard. Time 9 minutes 54.1 seconds.

Low hurdle dual record of 1.4.5 seconds.

220 yards hurdle, won by E. J. Clapp, Yale. Time, 25.1 seconds.

100 yard dash, won by W. A. Schick Jr., Harvard. Time 21.4 seconds.

Score: Yale 275, Harvard 284.

The final score was Michigan, 70; Chicago, 56.

ENGLISH LAD WINNER.

CHICAGO, May 21.—English Lad won the \$10,000 Chicago Derby; Prince Wings second; Moharib third. Time, 2:06.

WOMAN WINS ON A TECHNICALITY.

Maria T. Pereria, secretary of the ladies' branch of the Portuguese Benevolent Society, was discharged by Judge Quinn today for Police Judge Smith this morning, on a charge of unlawfully withholding the books of the society.

Mrs. Pereria has had the books for more than a year and has failed to render an accounting.

Judge Quinn decided the question on a purely technical point. He held she was not an officer of the corporation under the statute which she was being prosecuted.

SEEKING CASTRO'S ESTATE.

SAN JOSE, May 21.—A copy of the will of the late Magin Castro has been filed in the office of the County Recorder and it is stated that suits will be started in this county to declare title to property located near this city in which it is claimed that the estate has an interest.

Castro died in poverty at Oakland recently, after having made a will in which Gregorio Zellich of that city was named as his "universal heir." Deceased belonged to an old Spanish family which one time possessed great wealth. Zellich has discovered that there is still a considerable estate remaining, although there exists a question of ownership which will probably be determined by the courts. The land said to be involved in the suit includes the Santa Teresa quicksilver mines, the Edwina ranch on the Monterey road, and a portion of the Animas rancho.

FOUND DEAD.

SANTA CRUZ, May 21.—The body of Hugh Cole, a lumberman, who from all appearances had been dead for several days, was found in his cabin at Glenwood today.

THE ECONOMICAL WAY

to borrow, is embodied in our variable installment plan.

This means: You pay the interest every month and SOMETHING on the principal. Any amount from Five to One Hundred Dollars will be received, and interest stops immediately on such payments.

You pay interest only on the amount you owe, and as the payments you make on the principal are shown in a separate column on your receipt book, you can tell at a glance exactly how much you owe at any time.

There are no attorney's fees, no charges for examining property, no commissions, and the unavoidable expenses of recording, etc., are made as light as possible.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS

TWELFTH AND BROADWAY, OAKLAND.

LEAVES HOME AND MOTHER.

Maude Edsberg Runs Away and Leaves No Trace Behind Her.

Maude Edsberg, age 16 years, with fine form, ruddy cheeks, large blue eyes, dark brown hair and generally attractive, has disappeared. She has left sorrowing her mother, Mrs. Walter McKinnit, two sisters, Ida and Ella, and a step-father who reside at No. 1153 East Sixteenth street. She was employed in Heins' confectionery, No. 1426 Park street, Alameda, and was last seen there on Thursday evening of this week.

After she had finished her work for the day, which was at 10 o'clock in the evening, she left Heins' store for the purpose of going to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Phillips, who resides on Pine street in that city.

She did not make her appearance there, however, and her grandmother called for her at the store, but was told by Mr. Heins that she had already left the place.

The grandmother came to this city the night and made inquiry for the girl's home, but was informed by Mrs. McKinnit that her daughter had not arrived.

It was ascertained the next day that Maude was last seen entering the office of a real estate man in Alameda at about 10 o'clock, and that she had been there ever since. She had been told by the office, but thus far has not been able to do so. The mother greatly feels the disappearance of her daughter, and has forjodings that all is not well with her.

The case has been reported to the police in this city.

CUPID WINS OUT AGAIN.

Cupid beat out the objections of the fathers and the mothers and the aunts of Leo S. Clayburgh and Eva E. Wineburgh of San Francisco in their vain effort to keep the young people from marrying and while general of the distracted relatives were hurrying in different directions today at noon to find the young people they were pledging their troths before Justice of the Peace Geary in the supervisors' rooms in the Hall of Records.

The young people had not got much of a start of their relatives in their flight when S. Clayburgh, of the firm of Poly, Hillborn & Co., butchers, in San Francisco, the father of the young groom heard of it and immediately telephoned to the County Clerk's office here and told the clerks not to issue a license to the pair. He was asked if they were both of age and he said that they were and he was then informed that a license could not be had until the next day.

He, however, asked that the young people be kept waiting and that he would be right over.

Clayburgh and his bride had hardly got the license and were upstairs when Joseph Lowey and Alfred Lillienfeld, one an uncle of the groom and the other an uncle of the bride, came to the County Clerk's office. They were told that the license had been issued and hurried out in search of the pair. In the meantime Justice of the Peace Geary had been telephoned for and arrived post haste and the ceremony was quickly performed.

The cause of the objections to the marriage were not divulged. The groom's family are prominent among Jewish circles in San Francisco and money matters, it was intimated, was behind it all. Young Clayburgh gave his age as 22 and that of his bride as 19. The pair were finally told that they could not marry they met this morning with the agreed intention of brooking no further delay and left San Francisco for this city to carry out their intention.

PRESS PARLIAMENT HAS ADJOURNED.

ST. LOUIS, May 21.—The most important event of the day at the Exposition was the closing session of the Press parliament. The opening address was made by J. M. McDermott of the Dublin (Ireland) Journal.

Other addresses on the program were made by Gustaf Soderstrom, Stockholm, Sweden; Kanesaburo Miyamatsu, Tokio, Japan; Fritz Roetler, Brussels; Crosby B. Noyes, Washington D. C., and Martin Van Rensselaer of The Hague.

A committee was appointed to devise a plan for the permanent organization of the parliament.

DR. J. R. DAY BECOMES BISHOP.

LOS ANGELES, May 21.—Dr. J. R. Day, chancellor of Syracuse University was chosen bishop on the fourteenth ballot receiving 474 out of the 696 ballots cast. This completes the election of general superintendents. Four missionary bishops are yet to be chosen and the conference ballotted on one for Africa and two for Southern Asia this morning. Adjournment was taken until Monday morning.

LA VEGA CAPTURED.

JURKS ISLAND, Bahamas, May 21.—Mail advices from San Domingo announce that on May 16 the rebel general, Lasala, attacked and captured the town of La Vega, taking prisoners Gen. Bobea, and the under-secretary for war, Gen. Luis Tejada; the Governor of La Vega and Gen. Ney. The entire district of Monte Cristi is in the hands of the revolutionists.

WITT CONFESSES HIS CRIME.

SAYS HE SHOT MRS. STEVENS WHILE SHE WAS ASLEEP.

VALLEJO, May 21.—George Witt, a 19-year-old lad, was lodged in jail here yesterday afternoon as a result of a deliberate and premeditated attempt to commit murder this morning before, and his victim, Mrs. William M. Stevens, is lying in a critical condition.

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Stevens retired at their residence, in the city, leaving the window at the foot of the bed and only four feet distant from the bottom of the window is so situated that any one standing on the ground without could take deliberate aim at occupants of the bed.

Shortly before midnight a shot was fired through the window, striking Mrs. Stevens in the heart, and she lay on the side of the bed, entering her back at the base of the spine and tearing his way upward for a distance of six inches, when it passed out and found lodgment in the mattress.

Traces of fresh buggy tracks were found near the house and with other information furnished the police department yesterday led to the arrest of Witt, who admitted his guilt and stated that his crime was intended for Mr. Stevens instead of for his wife.

Witt, it seems, is possessed with an insane desire to have money, and he is many years his senior, and a good hard working woman, and his one idea was to put her husband out of the way. The boy seems to have no idea whatever of the enormity of the crime with which he is charged.

He is now resting easily and unless complications set in will recover.

UNHAPPY COUPLES IN COURT.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 21.—Judge Ogden on the ground of willful neglect. They were married in 1890 in Wyoming. She was also given the right to resume her maiden name, Mrs. E. Stevens.

Katherine E. Edwards was given an interlocutory decree of divorce today from E. Stevens, who has been charged with desertion. She was also granted \$13 a month alimony and allowed to resume her maiden name of Edwards.

A suit for divorce was begun today by America Edwien against John Edwien on the ground of cruelty. They were married in Reno several years ago, but the union did not turn out a happy one.

BASEBALL.

AT SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—First two innings:

LOS ANGELES 0
CALIFORNIA 0
Baum and Spies; McEman and Byrnes.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE IS ON TRIAL.

The trial of Erwin Forst, a private detective who is alleged to have assisted the father of Mrs. Jeannie Desosa in abducting her, was placed on trial this morning before Judge Smith on a charge of false imprisonment. The hearing was continued until Monday, however, when Mrs. Desosa and Mrs. Nellie Russell had been examined.

Mrs. Desosa told how her mother, John Bamber, and the private detective called at the County Clerk's office here and told the clerks not to issue a license to the pair. He was asked if they were both of age and he said that they were and he was then informed that a license could not be had until the next day.

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SOCIALISTS LOSE.

BERLIN, May 21.—Dr. Traun, Socialist, whose seat was declared vacant on technical grounds, was defeated by Herr Bassermann, national liberal, in a bye election at Frankfurt-on-the-Main yesterday. This is the third seat the Socialists have lost in three months and is creating an impression in many quarters that the Socialists are losing ground.

Herr Bassermann was the National Liberal in the last Reichstag, but was defeated by a Socialist at Carlsruhe.

WARSHIPS ASSEMBLE.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Rear Admiral Cooper, commanding the Asiatic squadron, arrived at Honolulu today on his flagship Wisconsin and will be joined there in a day or two by the other vessels of his command. The battleship Oregon left Cavite yesterday for Hong Kong. It is said at the navy department that there is no political significance in the assembling of the United States warships in Chinese waters at this time.

DEATH OF MRS. SHADER.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Shader, wife of Joseph F. Shader, died at her residence, 552 Vernon street, last night. She was a native of St. Mary's, Md. She was 53 years old.

She leaves two sons, Clyde S. and Bert R. Shader.

The funeral will be held tomorrow from the family home. The interment will be private.

PARADE TONIGHT.

There will be a parade tonight at 8 o'clock in the heart of town. It will be composed of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

DEATH OF HUGH CAYLE.

Hugh Cayle, a rancher, near Glenwood, is dead. He was 80 years of age and had resided in this city. He was a native of Ireland.

Take nutmeg; one is not as good as another. Schilling's Best, in nutmeg, is ground fine from difficult nuts to grind because full of oil; the oil is their virtue. There are dry nuts; there are wormy nuts. We are no more careful in nutmegs than all through.

Your grocer's; moneyback.

NEW PROVINCIAL GOING ON TOUR OF WORLD.

HEARTY RECEPTION EXTENDED AT CONVENT OF SACRED HEART.

The sisters of the Sacred Heart convent are rejoicing over the arrival of the new Mother Provincial, Mother Thais, who will hereafter have charge of this province.

Mother Thais has been long interested in educational work and has endeavored to make every one with whom she has come in contact.

She arrived yesterday from Montreal where she has been for some years past Assistant Superior General.

Mother Thais was, for nine years, treasurer at the convent in this city and was recalled to Montreal to officiate. She devoted herself to educational work and her success both in spiritual and temporal matters was soon recognized.

For some years she was the assistant and head of the Mother House of the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary situated at Hochelaga, Montreal.

Since the death of Mother Augustin last December the sisters have been waiting for a new Mother Provincial. When the glad tidings came that Mother Thais had been selected to preside over the province the hearts of the sister convent were filled with joy.

The pupils at the convent here turned out, en masse to welcome the new head of the order in this section.

From the doorway of the convent to the street a line of sisters, with sisters and children bearing flowers and welcome to the new head.

As Mother Thais ascended the steps the sisters and children completely surrounded her, and she was welcomed heartily and wholly into the hearts of all at the convent.

Mother Thais' character and staminal have made her beloved by each and every one at the convent and those with whom she has associated outside. She is a woman of remarkable ability. She has a wonderful faculty of governing. No greater happiness could be given to the temporal world than that of welcoming with open heart Mother Thais.

Tomorrow night a reception will be given to the Mother Provincial by the sisters and children at the convent. Music will be prominent and singing will help in a measure to express the happiness in the hearts of the convent's inmates.

Mother Thais has a brother, Sir Alexander L. Coste, one of the most prominent men in Montreal.

The present Mother Superior is Sister Mary Hermann, who is one of the most beloved of all the nuns that have ever been at the convent.

LAMENT VETERAN OFFICER.

BERKELEY, May 21.—The funeral of James B. Hume, the veteran detective of Wells Fargo Company and California pioneer, was held this afternoon from the family residence 3017 Wheeler street and the First Presbyterian Church in Oakland. The obsequies were largely attended by prominent people in all walks of life and handsome floral pieces were sent from all portions of the United States.

Graveside preliminary services were conducted at the family residence by Rev. R. S. Eastman, pastor of the South Berkeley Presbyterian Church before the funeral cortege moved to Oakland. At the First Presbyterian Church the services were conducted by Rev. E. E. Baker and he also officiated at the crematory.

There were both active and honorary pallbearers from Mr. Hume's friends in both private and business life. The active pallbearers were J. J. White, R. W. Kinney, J. H. Wright, E. T. Harris, and Walter Woolsey. The honorary pallbearers were S. D. Brastow, J. N. Thatcher, and F. W. Chubbuck, representing Wells Fargo Company; Stephen Gage, A. W. Palmer, Alec Martin, David Stanford of Oakland and George Granda of Alameda.

SOLACE SAILS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—The United States navy transport Solace sailed today for Honolulu, Guam and Manila.

She carried 520 men, including 100 apprentices, who will be assigned to the various ships of the Asiatic squadron. In addition to the enlisted men the Solace had on board forty officers and passengers, consisting chiefly of officers' wives and families.

She carried a cargo of 300 tons of ammunition.

DEATH OF MRS. BALES.

Mrs. Ellen Bales died last night at her home, 808 Willow street, after a short illness. She leaves a husband. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been announced.

GOING ON TOUR OF WORLD.

MONTHS OF PLEASURE IN STORE FOR RAY BAKER AND GEORGE WHITTELL.

Ray T. Baker is to accompany George W. Whittell Jr., son of the multi-millionaire of San Francisco, on a trip around the world. The pair will leave Monday night. They will first take in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis and after stopping over in New York to see the sights, will journey on to London and Paris and other European capitals, Egypt, the Italian cities and the historic places along the Rhine will be visited.

They will be away from home the greater part of a year, and will have a most enjoyable time.

RACERS RETALIATE ON WESTERN UNION.

CHICAGO, May 21.—President Fitzgerald of the Hawthorne Racing Association today notified the Western Union Telegraph Company that the association had decided not to allow the company to operate its telegraph wires on the track. President Fitzgerald in his notice to the telegraph company, gave no reason for the action taken.

TO SIT IN WATER RATE MATTER.

The Committee of the Whole will meet tonight to resume the hearing relative to fixing water rates for the next fiscal year.

DIED.

BOLES—In this city, May 20, 1904, Ellen, beloved wife of Hugh Bole, a native of Ireland, aged 30 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, May 23, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., from her late residence, 388 Willow street, Oakland, thence to St. Patrick's Church, where a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 10 o'clock.

LUGEN—In Berkeley, May 20, 1904, Mrs. Kitty E. Lugan, a native of Berkeley, aged 2 years, 8 months and 15 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, May 22, at 2:30 o'clock at her late residence No. 1 and Kate H. Lugan, a native of Berkeley, aged 2 years, 8 months and 15 days.

DYER—In San Francisco, May 20, 1904, John Charles, beloved husband of Corna May Dyer and father of Nellie Grace Dyer, a native of Missouri, aged 34 years.

SCARLETT—In this city, May 20, 1904, Mrs. Ann A. Scarlett, beloved mother of Mrs. J. B. Taylor, a native of Canada, aged 70 years.

SHRADER—In this city, May 20, 1904, Sarah Jane, beloved wife of Joseph F. Shader and mother of Clyde M. and Bert R. Shader, a native of Philadelphia, aged 53 years and 8 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Sunday), at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 552 Vernon street, thence to St. Patrick's Church, where a requiem mass will be celebrated.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

ATHENS CAMP, No. 457, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Neighbors: You are hereby notified to assemble at Woodman Hall, 621 Twelfth street, tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral services of our deceased neighbor, E. F. Murphy. Private services at his late residence, 723 Harrison street, at 1:30 p. m., services at the hall at 2 p. m.

W. H. RAMSEY, Consul Commander.

Attest: D. A. SINCLAIR, Clerk.

M. DINNEEN Marble and Granite Works.

712 SEVENTH ST. Bst. Brass and Casts Oakland, Cal.

JAMESON & WOODS Funeral Directors.

Lady Attendant when desired Telephone Avenue and Dwight Way Phone Derby 1081 BERKELEY, CAL.

ROSS BROMLEY, Sole Referee.

MARCUS ROSENTHAL, Attorney for Plaintiff, 210 Pine street, San Francisco. COTTON & COTTON, Attorneys for Defendants, Parrott Building, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, B. BENJAMIN LONG, Plaintiff, vs. T. S. Mainiff, Defendant.

Notice of Sale of Real Property by Sole Referee.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a certain decree of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, Department No. 1, in the above entitled and made on the 12th day of April, 1904, and entered in Judgment Book No. 50 at page 258, in the office of the Clerk of said Court, on the 12th day of April, 1904, that certain action pending in said Superior Court, wherein Benjamin Long is Plaintiff, and T. S. Mainiff is Defendant, and numbered 20,255 upon the Register of said Court, the undersigned Ross Bromley, the duly appointed and qualified referee, do hereby order and decree that certain real property in said County of Alameda, and Lots Four and Five, Block Four, in Block Four, in the City of Oakland, California, and numbered 20,255 upon the Register of said Court, the undersigned Ross Bromley, the duly appointed and qualified referee, do hereby order and decree that certain real property in said County of Alameda, and Lots Four and Five, Block Four, in Block Four, in the City of Oakland, California, and numbered 20,255 upon the Register of said Court, the undersigned Ross Bromley, the duly appointed and qualified referee, do hereby order and decree that certain real property in said County of Alameda, and Lots Four and Five, Block Four, in Block Four, in the City of Oakland, California, and numbered 20,255 upon the Register of said Court, the undersigned Ross Bromley, the duly 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The River Improvement Convention

A convention will meet in San Francisco next Monday to consider the question of river improvement. The fundamental proposition to come before the convention is the problem of the control of the flood waters of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers. Involved in the solution of this problem is the question of land reclamation and the improvement of the navigable channels. Control of the river involves large expenditure and the highest engineering skill. One of the subjects for discussion will be the method of raising the necessary funds. Shall the State be taxed for the expense? or shall the cost be borne by the riparian counties alone? It is presumed that the Federal government will contribute the cost of the navigation improvements, which must harmonize with the general scheme of river control and land reclamation. The convention will therefore be called on to determine the following questions:

- 1. How shall the work be done?
- 2. What will it cost?
- 3. Who is to pay the bills?

It has been stated that the subject of engineering will be excluded from the discussion. If so, how can the convention decide what shall be done? How can any intelligent estimate be made of the cost of the proposed scheme of river improvement? Without a definite plan based upon expert investigation the cost of the project will be left in the air. Neither the Legislature nor Congress is going to vote money for a project of this character unless the engineering features of the scheme are developed and the approximate cost figured out. Nor can any special tax be levied on the river communities or the riparian land owners unless definite plans and estimates are formulated. On this point the Colusa Sun, which has hammered at river improvement for thirty years, says:

"But there has been quite a lot of 'engineering' done on the Sacramento river. We believe that the first appropriation by the State was in 1868, when \$8000 was appropriated for a survey across the Montezuma hills. Then in 1876, \$10,000 was appropriated for engineering. Afterward came the work of State Engineer Hall, who worked several years on the river, and who made a very valuable map. It is said that his office cost the State about half a million of dollars and we may credit the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, along that portion now the problem to be solved, at least \$100,000 of this. Then in 1889 came the Board of Examining Commissioners, composed of Messrs. Grunsky, Reed and Crawford, who each received \$200 a month for two years for 'engineering'. After that came the Reclamation Commission that spent \$30,000 and succeeded in putting some inconspicuous red lines on the Hall map. Then came an appropriation of \$300,000 for the 'edger', and a large portion of this—perhaps a third—went for 'engineering'. Then came the appropriation of \$200,000 by the last Legislature, and most of that that has been expended has gone for 'engineering'."

If the convention is not to have the benefit of the engineering data obtained at such enormous cost, it will grope in a fog. Unless ways are ascertained, how can cost be estimated or means of providing for it contrived? Theories about how the money to defray the cost is to be raised may be exploited to no end without tangible result unless the convention gets on the firm ground of knowing what is to be done and what it will cost to do it.

Senator Bulla is now in a position to sympathize with the buffalo that tried to butt the locomotive off the track.

Some of our Republican contemporaries are unduly exercised over the attempts of the Democrats to make political capital of the President's occasional use of the naval dispatch boat Mayflower. It is not worth while to fret over such a matter. As a political issue it is contemptible. It will not divert anybody from considering the merits of the respective candidates for the Presidency and weighing the policies for which they stand. Nor can it prejudice the President personally in the public mind. The Mayflower is in commission and it costs the government no more to have the President aboard her than it does to have him ashore. As the commander-in-chief of the army and navy he has a perfectly legal right to go for a cruise on any ship belonging to Uncle Sam. The vessel is not withdrawn from any service in which she is needed. In fact, the whole matter is a piece of claptrap unworthy of a moment's serious attention. Let the Democrats get all the comfort they can out of calling the Mayflower "the President's yacht," they have little else to grumble and complain about.

With Bliss at the head of the National Committee there ought to be harmony in the Republicans and happiness enough to go round.

If you really want to find out how much a brick and half weigh just get in the way when a non-union teamster is being "persuaded" to join the union.

David Graham Phillips publishes a long article speculating on what would happen if a Democrat should defeat Roosevelt. What's the use? We might as well bother ourselves about what would happen if the man in the moon should break his leg. It is like wishing a dead man's chance.

The people of Santa Cruz were certainly given a lively show for the money they put up to secure the Democratic convention. The fight over a candidate for the Presidency has advertised the little seaside city in every part of the country. It was a convent on that counted for advertising purposes.

The Vice-Presidential boom of John W. Springer, president of the National Cattlemen's Association, has been nipped by an untimely frost. His defeat for Mayor of Denver by 5000 majority settles his chance for the higher nomination—if he ever had any.

The Stockton Record calls Oakland and "a sleepy rural town." More buildings have been erected in Oakland during the past year than have been built in Stockton in the last six years. The increase in Oakland's population during the last four years exceeds the total number of inhabitants in Stockton. It may be deemed witty to speak of this city as "a sleepy rural town," but it is a kind of wit that takes point from the falsity of its premise. Perhaps it may increase Stockton's prestige to belittle this city, but we doubt it. If Stockton's claim to progress rests on no better basis than slurring remarks in the Stockton papers about other California cities, it is a rather shadowy one.

The Japanese say the sinking of their big battleship was due to an accident. The Russians claim she was blown up by a mine planted by one of their torpedo-boats. It makes no difference if a man falls off a six-story building; he is just as dead as if he were pushed off.

The world's fair number of the Fresno Republican is one of the best publications of its class ever issued in California. Its excellence is not confined alone to handsome typography, artistic illustration and volume, but extends to the range and treatment of the subject matter. In the latter respects the number is a model. The aim has been to make an attractive and truthful presentation of the resources and industries of Fresno county, and it is an aim that has been fulfilled in the highest degree.

Evil of Secularizing Education

A fitting commentary on the series of resolutions attacking the Catholic Church for alleged hostility to the free public schools, which were voted down in the Methodist General Conference, was the address of Rev. John C. Kilgo, D. D., president of Trinity College, North Carolina, who appeared as a fraternal delegate from the Methodist Episcopal Church South. Speaking of the danger of wholly secularizing education, Dr. Kilgo declared that the great problem in that regard is how to increase education without losing moral force.

"The separation of church and state never meant the alliance of the state and infidelity," said he. "I welcome the honest search for divine truth, but I abhor the promotion of nonsense. Advanced thinking is all right when it leads to advanced living. Our God needs no introduction, however, from the high priests of human learning."

"There is a crying need of a great revival of pure religion in this American land. There are two reasons for this. First, the class of immigrants that are coming into the country. On the streets of every great city there is being fought out a battle to decide whether Paganism or Christianity is to be triumphant in this land. American freedom does not mean a rendezvous of heathenish gods."

This is but one of the evidences of the growing feeling among thoughtful men, visible on every side, that it is a mistake to entirely divorce religious teaching from the education of the young. In the effort to keep secularism out of the schools we are in danger of keeping God out of them.

The Brass Knuckles Argument Again

Police Judge Cabanis in San Francisco fined a picket for the Stabblers' Union \$25 for carrying a concealed weapon. The convicted man was arrested, with two other pickets, as he was advancing on a non-union stable employee. On his person was found a pair of brass knuckles. Another had a piece of gaspipe on his person. The third was equipped with a monkey wrench, a useful implement in mechanics, but decidedly irregular as an argument between union and non-union stablemen. Members of the union paid the fine of the convicted picket. On the same day this occurred a member of the Pinnomovers' Union was badly beaten up by several men whose talk and actions indicated that they thought him a non-union man. The officers of the Teamsters' Union said the outrage must have been committed by "sympathizers," but there was no denunciation of the miscreants. This farcical pretense will deceive no one who does not deliberately close his eyes to facts and logical inferences. Whenever a union striker is arrested for assaulting a non-union man, the union hires an attorney to conduct the defense, furnishes bail and puts up the fine in case of conviction. On the other hand, there is no official denunciation of the assault, no expression of sympathy for the victim. If the assailant be unknown to the victim or the police he is dismissed as "a sympathizer." One may read the moral as he runs.

The retreat of a flanking column of Kuroki's army for twelve or fifteen miles does not appear to be an incident of note or to indicate anything like a Japanese reverse. Apparently the flanking column pushed ahead so rapidly that it came near being cut off and compelled to fight a far superior force under disadvantages. However, the Japanese discovered their danger in time to fall back to a junction with the main army. The fighting seems to have been only trivial skirmishing.

The attempt of an unknown woman in San Francisco to kiss Leon Soeder in court is an example of the peculiar fascination atrocious or minas have for neurotic women. Soeder is on trial for murder. He is accused of deceiving his brother-in-law to a lonely place and assassinating him to get the insurance on his life. All the circumstances indicate Soeder's guilt. At any rate, he is admittedly a worthless scoundrel, having served a term in the penitentiary.

A still more shocking instance of the fondness morbid women have for murderers was recently furnished at Beaumont, Texas. A negro brute, under sentence of death for murdering his colored paramour in the most brutal manner imaginable, was the recipient of all sorts of attentions from white women presumably educated and respectable. They sent him flowers and dainties, visited him in prison, and acted in a way to make it a party for the wretch a public scandal. Yet these same women would scorn to be seen talking on the street with a respectable negro of this man's class. But because he was a dissolute wanton murderer under the shadow of the gallows they lavished presents, smiles and their society upon him in jail. What is the matter with such women?

Hints for the Ladies.

Here are a few garter superstitions that still survive: The marriage of a bride who wears any but white garters on her wedding day will have an unhappy ending. The girl who wears her garters below the knee will early lose her beauty. To put on the left garter before the right on dressing in the morning will bring bad luck all day.

Gold garter buckles are "lucky" and silver ones the reverse.

The luckiest colors for garters are white, blue and black. The wearer of yellow garters will lose a friend within a year.

If a garter breaks in church the wearer's marriage will be happy, but if the accident happens at a dance it is a sign that the wearer's sweetheart is faithless to her.

For 60 cents one can get some splendid bargains in golf and driving gloves.

For the hair is a simple unwired bow of blue velvet with which are mingled loops of opalescent beads strung on wire.

Pepper and salt shakers of Wedgewood are among the pretty things in the china departments and can be purchased for a small sum.

The new golfing hats shown in the shops have a wider brim than those of last year and are made of rough, soft straw, their only trimming being a band of canvas embroidered in bright colors.

Quaint-looking is a brown parasol in the soft tones of this color. Around the lower edge is a band of small flowers in bright colors mostly red. Above this the brown shades from a warm brown to the lighter shades in a wonderfully pretty way. The handle is of the natural wood.

Odd little wreath bows of ribbon are the latest idea in trimming children's hats and can be purchased all ready made at the ribbon counters, or if you buy the ribbon they will be made free for you. These wreaths are a series of small bows strung on a wire which is wound with the ribbon.

One of the prettiest jars shown in Rockwood pottery is a hollyhock jar. On this jar the red and white hollyhocks decorate a dark brown pottery vase, the misty outline of the flowers being more beautiful than if they stood out clear, for on all this pottery there is a sort of a hazy glaze over the decorations.

One of the "good-night sets" used in summer homes is fashioned of a dainty Japanese porcelain that makes one think of the country and the river, so delicately green is it. This set, like

Some Passing Jest.

Howell—Do you think it pays to put much money into cloths?
Powell—Not if you have a wife to go through them.—Town Topics

Strained Relations.
Courtier—Duke Albrecht nath ut his two uncles to the rac.
Jester—Ah, another case of strained relations.—Princeton T. Ger.

Why She Refused Him.
The haughty Yale avenue beauty had rejected him with scorn.
"Since you insist on knowing why, Mr. Eggleston," she said, "I will tell you. I could never marry a man who makes a practice of doing his manicuring on suburban trains."—Chicago Tribune.

Inroads of 'tyle.
Lady of the House—Lorena, you break more china and glass than any cook we ever had.
Lorena—I can't help it, ma'am, it's these big sleeves drags 'em off the tables.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune

Whence the Income?
Askitt—What's Rym's business?
Knott—Why, he's a magazine poet.
Askitt—Yes, I know that, but what does he do for a living?—Colorado News.

Chips From Other Blocks
Japan is sending her gold to America but reserving her lead or Russian consumption.—Washington Post

If the report that A. C. Elieff has been wounded is true, the faps must have guns of very remarkable range.—Philadelphia North American

We are all getting a little tired of hearing Russia say she didn't know it was loaded.—Washington Times

Cannon is still standing pat on his last vehement word about vice presidents and archangels.—Philadelphia Inquirer

John D. Rockefeller wants 'sociability in the church.' Well, if he will 'divide up' every Sunday, we can promise him the "glad hand."—New York Herald

The Russian troops are now having beans issued to them or rations. We may now look for Bos on to pass resolutions of sympathy for the Russian cause.—Atlanta Journal

Judge Parker's candacy has failed

THE HALTING TONGUE.
This broken bit of song to her
This little word to tell,
That I could write her better songs
Did I not love her so well.

Alas the half my heart would say
Her heart must only guess,
I could the whole of it reveal
Did I but love her less.

And yet to write a sweeter song
Than ever was heard before
I would not love her less, and so
I love her more and more
—Reginald Kauffman in Lippincott

WHEN RASCALS SHALL REJOICE.
A Tammany alderman, says the New York Sun, has warned the reporters from the newspapers in these pretentious phrases:
"Gentlemen your days are numbered. The time will soon come when the editors will no longer require your services. The time is coming when facts and statements will be prepared and typewritten copies sent direct to the editors of the newspapers."

The same basket of every editor in Christendom, remarks the Sun, is overflowing this minute with facts and statements contributed by watchful friends and when the reports are discharged, all the rascals and frauds in the land will rejoice with the politicians.

A queer bird fossil has been found in a bed of limestone near Eureka Springs, Mo. It is quite large, and is evidently the fossil of a prehistoric bird. A strange feature is the position, showing that it was on the alert, squatting on the ground, with its head turned to one side. Scientists who have seen it say that it belonged to the cretaceous period, but they do not attempt to account for the bird's position. How it became fossilized while on the alert is a mystery.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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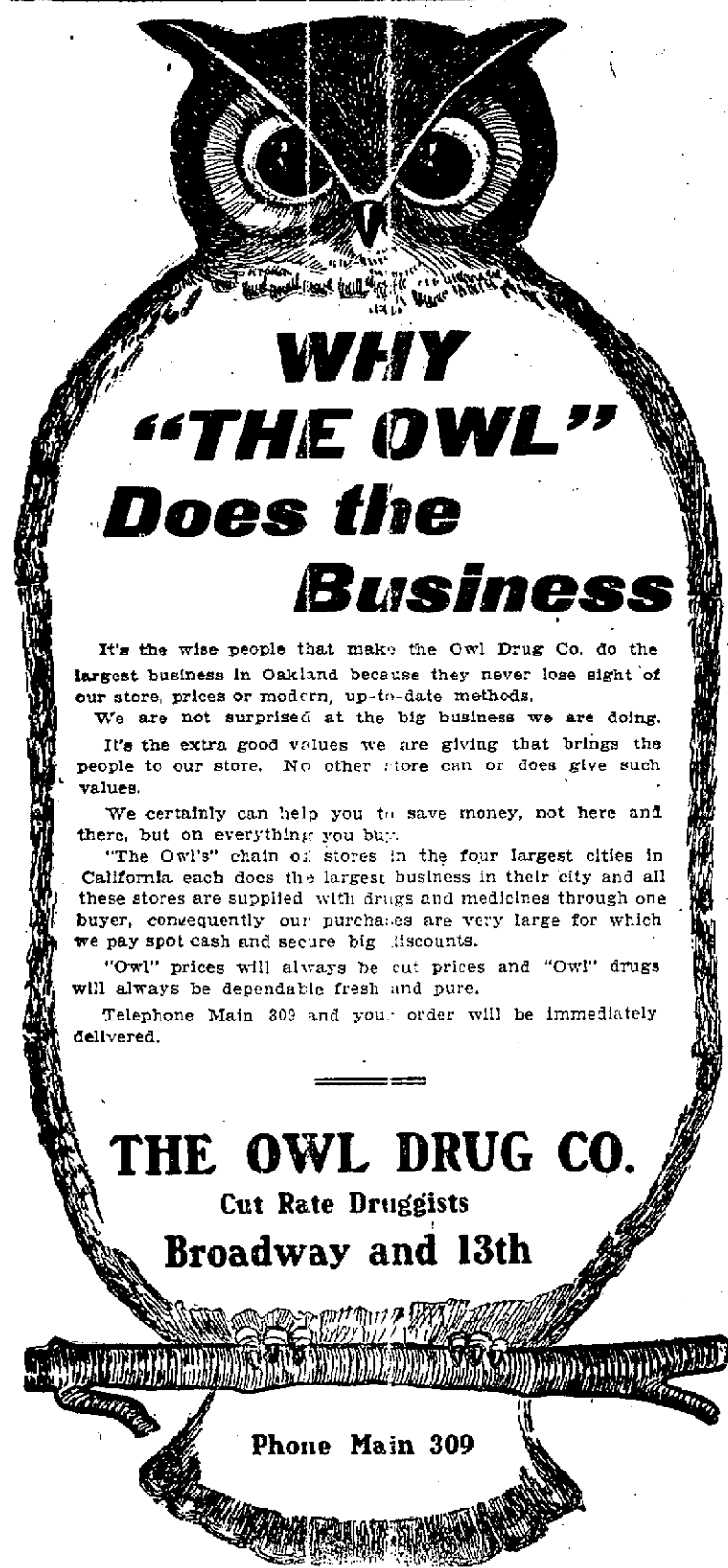
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Sunday evening a meeting of the parishioners will be held in St. Anthony's Hall, East Oakland, to hear the reports of committees and, on Monday evening, the advisory committee of the parish will meet to perfect all arrangements.

A fine program of games and sports has been prepared by the committees appointed for that purpose, and a ball game between the college of St. Mary's of Oakland and Sacred Heart of San Francisco will be one of the features.

James R. Kenna, president of the Pacific Coast Motor-Cycle Club is the chairman of this committee.

Alex and Joe Rosborough will manage an entertainment in the Idora Park Theater on the day of the picnic.

A refreshment booth of large proportions has been erected especially for the occasion and will be in charge of the ladies of the parish, headed by Mrs. Hugh Hogan.

Father Yorks has undertaken to raise \$20,000 this year to improve the parish schools, and the support he is receiving from his parishioners is considered encouraging.

This picnic is one of the means by which it is proposed to raise the amount mentioned.

The following is a list of the workers:

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CLIPPINGS FROM THE WEEKLIES.

Comments From San Francisco
Papers That Interest
Oakland People.

In the veteran J. H. Stoddard's reminiscences, published in the Century, he told how he was the means of starting Richard Mansfield up the ladder of fame. A. M. Palmer had cast Stoddard for the Baron Chevalier in "A Parisian Romance," but Stoddard did not think the part fitted him: He begged to be absolved from creating it, but Palmer would not hear of any such a thing. At rehearsals Stoddard noticed a minor member of the company, young Richard Mansfield, who had a small part in the play, observing his every gesture and inflection of voice. Noticing the young actor's absorbed interest, the older man begged his manager to let the former try the role. But Palmer refused. Finally Stoddard became so nervous and ill over his attempts to act an unconvincing role that his wife, insisted that, whatever the consequences, he should throw up the part. He did and Mansfield was given the role of Chevalier, which made him famous in a night.—Town Talk.

Richard Mansfield as a manager is regarded as a great stickler for his stage properties and will not tolerate any levity in his company. On one occasion, nevertheless, he could not avoid smiling, though the cause of the laugh was an atrocious jest. On this occasion, the unexpected happened in such a way as to provoke a smile from this most pessimistic stage manager. It is in the final scene of "A Parisian Romance" that it will be remembered, Mansfield as Baron Chevalier falls dead at supper amid the talking and music. The doctor in the play calls out: "Stop the music. The baron is dead," and the curtain falls. On this occasion Mansfield was playing a one-night stand in a small country town, where the music of the local orchestra was awful. At the supper scene Mansfield fell dead as usual, but the actor who was playing the part of the doctor cried out:

"Stop the music. It has killed the baron."—Town Talk.

There have been several gay and joyous "farewells" to the James and George Tysons of Alameda prior to their departure for the East and Europe. At one dinner given in the James Tyson home the guests were having such a good time that they missed the last train. However, I am told that Mrs. Tyson managed to put them all up in regulation sleeping gear, except one unfortunate bachelor—there was not a corner left for him. Puzzled as she would the hostess could not think of a single nook that was not to be occupied. "Let me sleep in the bathtub," suggested the man in question, facetiously. "The very idea," laughed the hostess, and the suggestion made in fun was carried out seriously. This is not the first time that a gay party has used a bathtub as a bed over in Alameda. Several years ago when the society girls of the town gave the women's minstrel show for charity and diversion, Mrs. Christie Allen had all the bathtubs in her big house made up into sleeping couches for the men of the party that staid over night.—Town Talk.

In the Chronicle for May 13th appeared a dispatch from New York—purporting to be an extract from the New York Tribune. The Tribune, according to this dispatch, stated that M. H. de Young was at the Waldorf-Astoria, and proceeded to give some of Mr. de Young's views on the St. Louis Exposition, the marvelous growth of San Francisco, and the popularity of Roosevelt in California. That was all. Now, when the New York Tribune for

May 13th came tooling along four or five days later, some imp of curiosity caused us to pause and read the original interview in the Tribune's broad and capacious columns. We discovered something! Not only did M. de Young speak of St. Louis, of San Francisco, and of Roosevelt, but of Hearst! He said: "The California delegation to St. Louis will undoubtedly be for Hearst. His paper is an influential Democratic journal, and while he has some enemies, they will be in the minority in the State." Interesting, indeed. But this the Chronicle didn't print. Mr. de Young's Chronicle censored Mr. de Young's utterance. We should say it was hard to have the stuffing edited out of your pronouncements by your own paper. But he was right all the same.—The Argonaut.

I hear all the fables in town talking about the very décollee gowns of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt. They were French, and almost as low-cut as those of Madame de Renier, who came out here a few years ago, and who certainly went to the limit. Mrs. Vanderbilt's gowns made Mrs. Peter Martin and Mrs. Frank (Carolyn) look like modest, shrinking little daisies, and they heretofore have led the van in fashionable low-cut gowns. Mrs. Vanderbilt does not go in for short skirts, but always wears long, clinging garments, as does Mrs. Peter Martin. All her gowns were of lace or of the most beautiful spangles. She is one of the few women who do not look old in black, and she has such brilliant eyes and complexion that the color suits her extremely well. She wore some lovely black and white lace-spangled gowns, and nearly all of them look like Mrs. Peter Martin, au princess in design.—The Wasp.

There is a good deal of amusement on the sly in Oakland over a neat little trick played by the younger set of girls on their older sisters. It seems that when the youngsters who will be next year's buds were home from the various boarding-schools for the Christmas vacation they decided to have the time of their lives. But what to do in order to have "grown-up men" at the parties puzzled them a good deal. With a wisdom beyond their years, they remembered that last year they were not asked, or "assist" at any of the older girls' affairs. So the clever little debutante-to-be made engagements with every eligible man in town to attend a series of entertainments. Not one night of the holiday time was left unfilled—and they did not say a word to the returning belles!

That was where the trouble began. Invitation after invitation was refused by every "grown-up" man in Oakland and the other bay cities—always with the plea "previously engaged." And, I am told on good authority, the older girls stayed at home and either went to bed early for their complexion's sake or burned the midnight oil improving their minds, so that in either case they might prove sufficiently interesting to hold their own against the permanent home-coming of the "little sisters." But, then, as one of the young girls said to a friend at the time: "When we're out they will associate with us as equals, and we won't be half so dangerous." And perhaps, there is something in that.—The Wasp.

We sincerely hope for the good of the burgh across the bay that the Santa Fe celebration has forever laid the "Knockers Club." It is an astonishing fact that Oakland is the only city of its size and pretension in the United States that does not possess a

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A Berkeley upholsterer has just published an astronomical work entitled "How to Know the Starry Heavens: An Invitation to the Study of Suns and Worlds." It would be easy to be satirical and to make cheap jokes about the scope chairs and such, but as a matter of fact the thing does not strike me that way. I am so surprised at a man modestly following his occupation and yet pursuing his hobby without any wish to make money or position out of it, that I cannot avoid what may easily be the impertinence of a few words of commendation. There is a sanity about the performance which is a little foreign to us. It is to be hoped that our upholsterer astronomer will keep it up, but let him remember that the chief interest of the story lies in the fact that he is an upholsterer.—News Letter.

Senator Perkins relates how in Paris he was riding on a street car one rainy day. The persistent dripping of water on the inside of the car annoyed the Oaklander so much that he ventured enough French to inquire whether it always leaked. The car conductor looked at him in wonder, and with a shrug of his shoulders, said coolly:

"Mais, non, monsieur, nevalre when ze sun shine."

"Before I crossed the Atlantic," said the Senator, "I thought the cars running from Oakland to Alameda took the cake for leaking and general debility, but they are air-tight and healthy compared to these Paris trams. They always reminded me—I mean that particular conductor I speak of did—of the story of an American traveling in Scotland. For days he had endured the drizzle of rain, and, beginning to wonder if they ever had fine weather, he said to a Highland lad:

"Does it always rain here?"

"Naw," replied the boy, with a contemptuous toss of his head: "It snaws sometimes."

A Washington correspondent informs me that Miss Pansy, the vivacious daughter of Senator Perkins, has been enjoying the best time of her life. She has collected a select coterie of friends, people who are distinctly worth while, too.—The Wasp.

STEVENS JR. IS MADE A STAR.

Patrons of the Macdonough Theatre were surprised last night to see a strange face among the members of the Stevens Company during the second act of "The Octoroon." Although he was only a thinking part and he is not yet able to support himself, much less the star of the company, he made the hit and sensation of the evening. He comes highly recommended and possesses his famous father's and mother's ability and if he can always create the impression he did last night on his subsequent appearances, he will be a very valuable addition to the profession.

It is not often that an audience is treated to the novel sight of seeing the son of a celebrated actor make a successful professional debut. But such was the case last night for John Landers Stevens Jr. was carried on the stage in the arms of Charlie King, who plays "Old Pete," and as calmly and heroically gazed at footlights and audience as his worthy sire ever did, it

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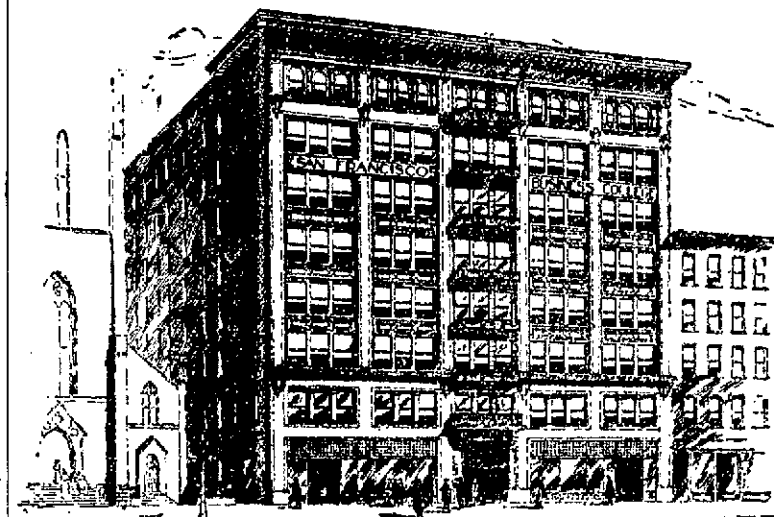
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For the three holidays, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 28, 29 and 30, the California Northwestern Railway will make one fare for the round trip from San Francisco to all points on the road except suburban. Those tickets will be good going Saturday, Sunday or Monday, with return limit Tuesday, May 31. This will give many an opportunity to get out into the country for a short trip just when it is at its prettiest. It will also afford an excellent opportunity for those who wish to arrange for their location for a summer vacation. Get a copy of "Vacation 1904," look over it and take a pleasant outing during these three days and at the same time arrange for your summer outing. On Monday, May 30, late trains in the afternoon from Sonoma and Guerneville branches same as on Sunday.

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MRS. ROSENFELD'S LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld gave one of her delightful luncheons this week to what was, most emphatically, an Oakland crowd. Mrs. Rosenfeld entertains lavishly, and more expensively than any woman in Oakland society, and as her friends are almost all Oaklanders, on account of the amount of time this charming little woman spends with the Nicholson family, we always come in for our full share of the fun.

This makes the third costly entertainment which Mrs. Rosenfeld has given this season. Early in November of last year she gave a very beautiful card party in the Maple Room of the Palace Hotel to some eighty guests and, shortly after that, followed with a luncheon to twenty-five in honor of her two sisters, the Misses Dunphy, who were visiting her from the East.

After that luncheon, which was given in the Palace Hotel Grill, her guests played five hundred in Mrs. Rosenfeld's charming apartments at the Lick House. This luncheon at the St. Francis was perhaps the most elaborate of the series, for the St. Francis is still a novelty to most of us. Afterwards the guests played five hundred at the St. Francis. Mrs. Rosenfeld's prizes are always of the handsomest, so much so that in the old days there was a good deal of heart-burning over them. Nowadays she makes the entertainment in which all may join the chief thing, but still her prizes are unusually handsome and costly. Her decorations, too, are always beautiful. Last time it was violets with green and lavender to let this time it was a flat centerpiece of fragrant pink and white sweet peas.

There were some handsome gowns worn, among them a beauty in which Mrs. Rosenfeld appeared. Another beautifully dressed woman was Mrs. McKay of Santa Barbara, who was, in a sense, the guest of honor. Mrs. McKay is one of the handsomest women I have ever seen. She is tall as Hilda McDonald Hart, and plump in proportion, with a beautiful figure, a perfect profile and a finely shaped head, where the hair is usually worn parted in the middle and drawn down over the ears. In these ears big pearls are sometimes worn, making the wearer look like a queen. Mrs. McKay was a Los Angeles girl and is well educated. Becoming stage-struck, she was for awhile in the Neill Company, where her beauty made her famous. She was seen by Mr. McKay, who is a wealthy banker and business man of Santa Barbara. He at once fell in love with her and made her his wife. Mr. McKay is very wealthy, being interested in the oil industry of Santa Barbara, and Mrs. McKay is the mistress of a handsome home in Upper State street, not far from the Arlington. She has everything that the heart can wish or money buy, and is devoted to Mr. McKay. For weeks at a time she closes her handsome house and goes with him while he is out inspecting oil wells. Between times she has a fine time in Santa Barbara.

She has been taken up by the young exclusive set there and has also been welcomed by the exclusive Montecito matrons. Only one or two prominent



MISS W. OSBORNE
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women in Santa Barbara still hold out against her winning, cordial and unaffected ways. Last winter she gave a very successful large luncheon and a big bridge party, Santa Barbara being bridge mad.

The prizes at this last affair were beautiful, and several of the most prominent women in Santa Barbara assisted Mrs. McKay in receiving, as was also true of the luncheon. Mr. McKay is associated in business with some of the leading men in Santa Barbara, and among Mrs. McKay's Northern friends are Mrs. Rosenfeld and Mrs. Oscar F. Long, who has several times been, with General Long, Mrs. McKay's guest. All of Mrs. McKay's handsome clothes come from New York or San Francisco. On horseback and when swimming she is as attractive a figure as she is in evening or afternoon dress.

Among Mrs. Rosenfeld's other guests were the De Gollins and the Misses Downings, who have recently been guests of honor at the De Gollins and other homes.

MRS. NICHOLSON'S CARD PARTY.

Mrs. I. Emmet Nicholson has sent out a large number of cards for a five hundred party, to be given today at her Webster street residence. The guests of honor are Mrs. Creighton Carmine, formerly Miss Minnie Campbell, and Mrs. George Martin, formerly May Bates. Neither of these young matrons has been in Oakland since her marriage some years ago. Mrs. Carmine is handsomer than she was as Minnie Campbell, for she is not as stout. She was always a striking brunette. Mrs. Martin is looking exceedingly well, and eight years abroad seems to have agreed with her. Her beauties were always her soft, olive skin and her oval face. Mrs. Martin has some pretty European clothes, and though the German women are not supposed to dress well, in an American sense, she has some dainty simple things which are vastly

becoming. How little while it seems since May Bates was a bride at the First Presbyterian Church. After a few days in San Francisco Dr. and Mrs. Martin left for their future home in Berlin, and have never been in California since. Now Mrs. Martin has with her her little son, aged seven, and a daughter of four, both pretty children. They, as well as their mother and father, speak German like natives. Since Mrs. Martin has resided abroad her mother, Mrs. C. D. Bates, and her sister, Miss Ethel, now married and living in the North, have visited her. Mrs. Martin will be in Oakland all summer. Mrs. Martin is the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bates.

MRS. DOWNEY'S CARD PARTY.

Mrs. Charles Downey of Tenth avenue entertained some fifty of the East Oakland set last Saturday afternoon at five hundred. A jolly afternoon was passed in an informal enjoyment of the popular game.

RICHARD MANSFIELD'S FIRST NIGHT.

Not since Edwin Booth have we had anything in the theatrical line so enjoyable or so important as the Richard Mansfield engagement at the Columbia Theater. Never has there been such a demand for seats, and a season twice as long could have done undoubtedly equally as well. The night of "Ivan, the Terrible," was a perfectly wonderful performance, which went on from one artistic climax to another, holding an audience which filled every seat and box and loge in the Columbia spell-bound. There was no applause during the acts, but after every act call after call until one lost count. During one entire act the applause was continuous, but the star, after responding a few times, went on with his dressing and when the curtain rose, it was to show another act. The death scene was immense, and



MRS. LOUISA J. FRASER
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entirely without tricks of light, such as Irving used to use. "Ivan, the Terrible" is comparable only with Irving's "Louis the XI," and is greater than that so far as natural acting is concerned, though it is not as great a play.

It is a series of terribly graphic pictures of one of the most evil characters of history, but the art is so great that you have no breath left with which to cavil at the unpleasant nature of the play. The play seems in Mansfield's hands, absolutely convincing, and you feel as though some one had taken down a section of palace wall and had permitted you to glimpse the terrible life which goes on within. Ivan was superstitious, cunning, cruel, merciless, yet a coward. Compared with him, Bloody Mary was an angel of peace. The support is good—any actor would seem dwarfed when measured against Mansfield—and the death scene wonderful. Miss Conquest is leading lady and a very winning one, without such chance as Ivan, but filling the bill entirely as the charming German girl, Kathie, in "Old Heidelberg." There are also several good men in the cast. The scenery is impressive and the Columbia stage never possessed such grandeur. Everything yields to Mr. Mansfield's surpassing intelligence, and everything is worked out to its most logical detail. This is great acting of a sort we never see nowadays, and

whoever misses it does so at his peril.

Monday night's audience was brilliant, socially and intellectually, many people returning from the country for box parties and the like. Two of the plays are given but once, which means practically first night houses for them as well. We get our good things theatrically now mostly in the summer, but we have never had a spring like this, with Mrs. Fiske, Mansfield and Maude Adams in quick succession.

THE LITERARY WORLD.

Mrs. N. N. Cameron is coming to spend the summer in Oakland and it is possible that her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Cameron Lewis, may be with her for at least a portion of the time. Some of the time will be spent with the John P. Irishes at their log cabin at Alta. Mrs. Lewis has had short stories lately accepted by Harper's and McClure's, and these may be expected to come out in the fall. Mrs. Lewis likes it immensely in New York, where business keeps her husband, but it was not considered wise for Mrs. Cameron to brave the extreme heat.

Herman S. Sheffauer, the architect-poet, leaves shortly for Europe to remain a year. Mr. Sheffauer, who lives in Piedmont, has done some rather clever things in satiric verse, for which he has been extravagantly praised by Ambrose Bierce.

Mabel Craft Deering has a short story in the May "Sunset," which the Chronicle's literary critic pronounces "A strong short story." It is rather more of a vignette than a story, but shows a pathetic little phase of everyday life. I hear that Mrs. Deering is writing a book.

Will Irwin, who was Mrs. Deering's successor as Sunday editor of the Chronicle, has severed his connection with that paper and goes East on June first to accept a position on the New York Sun. Mr. Irwin will join that already extensive California colony which is doing good things in the East. Wallace Irwin is already there, as is Gelett Burgess, though the latter may be counted upon to return to us in time. The Deerings entertained Mr. Irwin and some of his men friends at dinner last week. Mrs. Irwin being in the country. Dr. and Mrs. Cool gave him a farewell house party last Sunday and the Bohemian Club gives him a farewell dinner on Tuesday evening of next week.

SILENCE REIGNS ON THE CAMPUS.

Silence reigns on the Berkeley



MISS LUCILE WEBSTER
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campus, for the many hundreds of students have quietly drifted away to their different homes, and it is the quiet month of the year at Berkeley. Houses are being put in order to prepare for the coming of the thousands of strangers who make up the Summer School.

Of course the social interest of the week centered about Berkeley, and so much was doing that it was impossible to really chronicle it all, or to catch the spirit of most of it. The heavy dignity of the occasion centered about Commencement day, when President Wheeler and Governor Pardee made the speeches of the hour, and gave the usual good advice, which, of course, nobody was ever known to take.

But they gave something else as well, the diplomas which marked four years of effort—the definite end of one period of life—and the beginning of another. And the class of 1904 has already scattered to the four quarters of the globe, never to assemble again. But that is the way we make history. And none of us can hope to hold the center of the stage all the time. Old Father Time himself whispers "There are others!" And that's a mighty good lesson for some people to learn on occasions.

FOUR PICTURES THAT STAND OUT.

But now that it is all over, there are some pictures that stand vividly out from the background of the week's history—"Class Day," for example. That is the day that more fully expresses college life, for it is the day definitely given over to the students. They do their own planning, and one looks on class day for the expression of the fun and enthusiasm one has learned to associate with college events.

The class pilgrimage this year was really very picturesque. The girls were all in white, and each carried a parasol of the most brilliant red, and under the warm sun of Berkeley they struck out the most striking color tones, very effective in the pilgrimage. At Hearst Hall the speaker was Miss Tellulah Le Conte, and her af-

fectionate tribute to Mrs. Hearst struck a sympathetic note, as expressing the sentiment of the girls, for whom Hearst Hall with its splendid gymnasium, the finest gymnasium for women in the world, had been planned.

Miss Le Conte told of Mrs. Hearst's generous efforts for the college women of California, and of her care for them always, thanking her not so much for the things the public knew about, but for the many beautiful acts of kindness and helpfulness known only to the few.

It was a beautiful tribute to have been given to Mrs. Hearst on the steps of Hearst Hall.

CLASS DAY THE TALK OF THE HOUR.

And of course the Class Extravaganza is the talk of the hour. You hear it discussed everywhere, and each individual seems to have observed a different phase of it all.

Its general character summed up means that it was on the show girl order.

Men in an extravaganza are always wildly amusing. They don't care how they look, nor what they do—and being men, nobody else cares. But with college women it's different. The whole extravaganza was planned on the show girl line. Now everyone knows that it isn't everybody who can assume a show girl role. You have to be graceful, with no end of training about your dancing, for the steps which look so simple are really very difficult ones, and the show girls must first of all be good looking—as for instance in the Anna Held Company.

In the first part of the play all the class came running in, dressed as children—the girls in very short dresses, gingham aprons, and sunbonnets. Tellulah Le Conte was the bad little girl, and she and the bad little boy were very wicked children indeed. She wore a very short gown, and red stockings. The school was the apparent background for the other "stunts" of the afternoon.

Girls in rainbow-hued raiment danced down the stage, carrying blossoms, which they consigned with their compliments to Professor Moses, assuring him he'd wait a long time for an apology. Other girls in white, with some men in white duck trousers and sailor hats danced down the stage singing, "Sammy, Sammy, there's something doing, I'll teach you to dance!"

There wasn't much doing down in their heels, however, and that's what you need when you're trying to dance.

Other girls came out dressed in paper dresses, of gorgeous hues, and carrying yellow poppies—all very pretty indeed, a symphony in paper, in blue and gold—and they, too, danced—everybody danced.

And a bad wicked man from San Francisco—I'm glad he wasn't from Oakland—kept singing at intervals, "Your right is lazy, your left leg is crazy, But don't be unsly, I'll teach you to dance!"

Which was very mean of him indeed, for he made you laugh, even when you didn't want to! Then there was more dancing—the

Little thin ankles kept time to the music—and the little kicks in the air were really edifying, but they were not the real thing—you can't unless you've practiced, you know.

The color pictures on the stage were really very pretty, and the girls went to just oceans of trouble, but there were many in the audience who could have wished for a little more prominence for the men in the Extravaganza.

FAIRLY GOOD IN A LITERARY WAY.

The latter was fairly good in a literary way, but even if it were a parody on "Everyman," it struck a great jarring note. You can't feel funny when Death is stalking around, all skeleton like—and beating a drum to call you to account. "Gee, I wouldn't like to meet him on a dark night!" said a man near by. "I wouldn't like to meet him any time," answered his neighbor promptly. And that was just it. You didn't even want to meet him in a Berkeley Extravaganza.

It was all right in "Everyman,"—you needed him to send the lesson home. You might be Everyman yourself, and you felt the moral of the lesson, "Now will you be good?"

But you didn't heed the old fellow at Berkeley, and when he stalked about that big stage your smile grew chilly, and you didn't feel quite as joyful as the occasion demanded. But it all closed at sunset with the singing of "My University," and it was very beautiful—all the gorgeous University pennants of blue and gold floated from the many standards about the glorious amphitheater—on the great stage were massed hundreds of singers—and as the chorus, "My University," rolled out among the foothills, which caught it back and sent it on and on, the beauty of the scene deepened into sublimity—the greatness of the hour was reflected in one's own soul.

Then the great human flood poured down over the hillsides, and all was quiet in the great Greek Theater among the hills.

U. C. GIRLS WITH VERY LITTLE DRESS.

One of the general topics of conversation during the week at Berkeley was the Senior "Jinks." Those who were there could not possibly refer to it without going off into a gale of laughter. You know it was given in the Hearst Gymnasium, and was for University girls only. The senior men have banquets, and things like that, instead of the Jinks.

Such characters as they were—all sorts of cowboys—and baseball and football players. There were Mammas Katzenjammer and her two bad boys—there were little maids from school—there were girls in evening dress—there were girls with very little dress—in fact any old costume that one wanted to wear. One hears that it was just great fun, but at Berkeley, even in the family, you will find opinion divided. A lot of people don't approve at all, and another lot of people say it is all only a bit of fun—the girls are chaperoned, and are quite by themselves—let them be young while they can. After all, while their fun is not of the most refined sort, it is harmless.

And then there is another class of people, the kind that reasons things out, and it rather formulates the situation in this way. If it is a co-educational institution, where women are not really wanted, it is quite as well to let the men have a monopoly of male attire. After all, it is not a really nice thing to do, to borrow the clothes of your young men friends.

The University girl ought to hold up her end, when it is a matter of womanly delicacy and personal refinement. For she is standing for something just now, and straight in the lime light, too, for the principle of co-education. They won't have much of it in the East—and out at Berkeley the fight is pretty strong against it. So perhaps it's just as well if she had her Jinks—minus a football player's costume.

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ENTERTAINED BY FRATERNITIES.

The Fraternity houses have never entertained so many gay crowds—they all represented receptions on class day.

The society girl measures her popularity by the number of invitations she has to the different fraternities. And so you will meet her in festive array, at the "Dekes," at the "Zetas," or climbing the steep hill to the "Beta" house. They are all in gala array, beautifully decorated, and mothers and sisters and sweethearts are receiving the gay throngs of guests. It is all so spick and span, and one may wander all over the club house—it is open that way for inspection just twice—the first and the last day of each year. For the rest—but that is another story—and perhaps the college man could best tell it himself.

Among the very pretty costumes one noticed at the class day reunions were those worn by Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Mrs. Leuschner, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, the Misses



MISS BERTHA McELRATH, WHOSE ENGAGEMENT WAS ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK. (Photo Belle-Ordry.)

McElrath, Miss Connors, Mrs. John F. Connors, Miss May Coogan, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Miss Ruth and Miss Rose Kales, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Hayden, Miss Dornin, Miss Helen Chase, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Miss Marion Smith, Miss Sperry, Mrs. Wight, the Misses Wight, Miss Sanborn.

Mrs. J. R. Burnham wore one of the very prettiest gowns of the afternoon, a handsome gown of silk, in tones of golden brown, beautifully trimmed in lace, and made in the latest new design of full skirt.

Luncheon was served in all the Fraternity houses, and the regular alumni luncheon was served in Harmon Gymnasium. Governor Pardee's class passed its twenty-fifth milestone, and the class represented the guest of honor.

And they are not old people either, the members of that class. They are just delightfully young, right in the heart of things, pushing forward into the future with much energy and enthusiasm. That is the value of modern civilization. You do not have to be old unless you want to—and the historical "shelf" on which people used to be laid, has long since been torn down.

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COOPERS ARE IN THE SOUTH.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Minor Cooper, formerly Miss Ella Goodall, are in Southern California, but are expected home in the near future. They will stay for a short time at the Goodall home on Jackson street, but their future home will be in San Francisco, where Doctor Cooper has built up a successful practice.

Those who were at the Goodall wedding will always remember it as one of the most interesting of the year.

The bride's gown was so perfect—and the whole wedding carried with it so much spirit and enthusiasm. And such gowns have rarely been seen on this side of the bay. Of course a large proportion of the guests came from San Francisco, where the Goodalls originally lived.

In the matter of gowns, Mrs. Tom Magee carried off the prize. She was very stately and stunning in a superb New York gown of white velvet, trimmed with the rarest of lace; her ornaments were diamond stars, and in her hair she wore a green wreath, set with stones, that almost outshone the diamonds.

Miss Florence Hush was in white satin, and she made a charming picture. A sweet friendliness is Miss Florence Hush's main characteristic, and her helpful ways and rare graciousness of manner make up a charming personality.

Among the really gorgeous gowns at the wedding were those of Mrs. Louis Blounteagle, Mrs. Will Magee, Mrs. George H. Whenton, Mrs. Samuel Buckbee.

SENATOR AND MISS PERKINS HOME.

Senator Perkins and Miss Pansy Perkins arrived last week at the family home, "Palm Knoll," after some interesting months abroad and in Washington. Miss Perkins is a very charming girl, and she has had much done for her along lines of culture. With her father she traveled extensively abroad, and she was a great favorite in Washington's exclusive circles.

Senator Perkins and his daughter will probably take a trip to Lake county during the summer.

Much to everyone's regret, Miss Pansy Perkins will not be one of the

debutantes of the coming winter. She returns in November to Washington with her father and will reside over his home there. They kept house in a delightful apartment last winter, and the experiment was a great success.

MISS SANBORN'S TRIP.

Miss Grace Sanborn is to have a delightful trip to Colorado in July. She has relatives there who are planning some exceedingly interesting weeks.

Mrs. Skene of Portland, who came to Oakland to be maid of honor at the Cooper-Goodall wedding, will return home in the near future. Since the wedding she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, at their home on Vernon Heights.

VISITORS FROM SCOTLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. William Letts Oliver have been entertaining Mr. Rogers of Scotland, and his sisters. The entertainments for them have been quite informal, only old and intimate friends being asked to meet them.

Among their friends are Mrs. Cliff and her daughters, with whom the Rogers traveled in Scotland.

BROWNS HAVE GONE EAST.

Mrs. Arthur Brown has gone East on a visit to Arthur Brown Jr. The latter is achieving great success as an architect, but everybody knew he would do that, when he won that famous prize in the Ecole des Beaux, in Paris.

MRS. TUCKER IS TO ENTERTAIN.

Mrs. T. C. Tucker is hoping to entertain this summer her sister, Mrs. Faskins, and the latter's daughter, Miss Ruth Havemeyer Faskins. Miss Faskins is a very pretty girl, and graduates next week from the Merrill-Lee School in New York.

WHOLE BUNCH OF WISDOM.

Sometimes there is a whole bunch of wisdom wrapped up in a stray bit of conversation, especially if the latter carries one's heartfelt convictions. The other day at an informal luncheon, one guest asked another, "What type of society woman do you like best?"

"I do not know," was the answer, "but I know the type I hate the most—it's the knocker!"

She's in herself, you know, with a very substantial calling list, comfortably established, and she altogether forgets the undignified scramble with which she managed to break in. She has "arrived," that's all she cares about, and she keeps rather dark about the struggle. You would think it would make her rather sympathetic in the efforts of others. But not a bit of it. Why, she would step on your fingers if she noticed them clinging to the social ladder!

A masculine "knocker" is bad enough—but a woman who is a knocker—well, she is "the limit."

Really, you could forgive the little woman for dropping into the vernacular—nothing else would correctly express her emotions.

And the woman who reads everything picked up the argument. "In Ellen Fowler's new book there are two works on an English country road, and they see a stranger, and one promptly says to the other, 'There's a head, knock it!'"

It reminded me of a few selfish women I might mention. They are

safely in the inner circle, and might afford to be generous. But let a stranger appear on the outer horizon, and instantly they are like the Englishman in the road "There's a head, knock it!"

"But after all," said the hostess, "there are so many generous, large-hearted women in the world, what is the use of wasting time with the knockers?" And though she stopped the conversation, she didn't altogether stop the train of thought that it started. One remembered Longfellow's line:

"And the thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts!"

CARLTON CRANES GO TO DECOTO.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Crane and Miss Crane have closed their home on Filbert street and have gone to "Carlton Orchard" for the summer.

It is a very quiet, comfortable summer home at Decoto, and the Cranes entertain there very hospitably all through the summer.

Miss Helen Crane is a very charming girl, with a most delightful voice, which has been carefully cultivated.

CLOSING DAYS AT SCHOOL.

Closing days at school are being planned all along the line. Among the most interesting are always those of Miss Horton's School.

Every year teachers and children have a delightful spring outing together. Big omnibuses take them all far out in the country, and they spend a long happy day there.

Such a merry crowd of children as go off in the big omnibuses. They all wear the class colors, and they shout to their hearts content at everything and everybody. And such a lot of lunch as everybody brings, and such fun as they have eating it all up—every scrap. And there is the lovely drive home in the cool evening—the whole easily making one of the red-letter days of the year. The years have a way of rolling on apace, and this closes the nineteenth year of Miss Horton's School. It is now called "The Horton School," and is one of the best established schools on the coast.

Miss Horton has been ill this year, but she is better now, and expects to take her place in the school at the beginning of the term.

She went back the other day, and conducted the morning prayers, and the affectionate devotion of the children on her return made a very touching scene.

It is a good thing for the educational world that Miss Horton is again able to take an honored place in it.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS McELRATH.

Of course the great surprise of the week was the announcement of the engagement of Miss Bertha McElrath and Doctor Benjamin Bakewell.

There are a few people who say they knew it, and were not surprised, but no one believes them.

Doctor Bakewell and Nell Bakewell are among the most popular men in society. They are the men who can be social successes, and to good work in the greater world as well.

Doctor Bakewell is associated with Doctor Porter, and is one of the most successful of the young practicing physicians. Bertha McElrath is the eldest of the McElrath girls—every one of whom is popular. They have a most delightful mother, who is quite like an older sister also, and she takes the girls everywhere. They are immensely in the university set, and the younger girls are prominent members of the Friday Night Club and the Maple Club.

Miss Bertha McElrath has been most carefully educated. She has been East and has spent some time in Tennessee, where the family have very influential relatives.

Miss McElrath added a professional course in nursing to her other training, and very few girls are so well equipped for successful life work.

Meanwhile lively engagement cups are finding their way to the McElrath home, and good wishes and congratulations are being showered upon the happy young people.

WEDDING DAY IS SET.

The date of the wedding of Miss Florence Hatch and Mr. Asa Mendenhall has been set for Wednesday, June 22. Miss Hatch is such a beautiful girl that I know she will make an ideal bride.

It is to be a home wedding celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents on Harrison street.

HAVE GONE TO THEIR COUNTRY HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hussey and Miss Evelyn Hussey left this week for their country home at Ber Lomond. It is across the creek from the Hotel Rowdennan, and is one of the most picturesque homes to be found anywhere in the Santa Cruz mountains. It is a hospitable home as well, for Miss Hussey is always entertaining



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MR. AND MRS. JAMES MELVIN WHO CELEBRATED THE TWENTY-THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR WEDDING LAST WEDNESDAY EVENING.

her young girl friends there.

PLANNING TO GO AWAY.

And so it goes, everyone planning to go somewhere. Soon school will be over, and the children will come running home. "Promoted" will be the magic word echoing through the household. After all it is a magic word, and as we look back over the year's work there may come to each of us the sense that we have earned of Fate the right to stand with the little band marked "Promoted!"

THE MEDDLER.

Mrs. Frank Shay was hostess Thursday evening at a meeting of the popular euchre club. Pretty souvenirs of the evening were carried off by Mrs. Shankland, Miss Elva Shay and Gus Sawyer.

Mrs. Will Westphal will entertain the club at its next meeting.

IS VISITING FRIENDS.

Mrs. W. H. Skene of Portland, Oregon, who was matron of honor at Mrs. Charles Minor Cooper's wedding, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubbard at their home on Vernon Heights.

VISITING AT CLOVERDALE.

Mrs. Edward Lacy Brayton, with her two children, are spending a few weeks at Cloverdale.

SOULES TO GO EAST.

Mrs. Frank Soule is planning a trip to the East, and will leave early in June. Professor Soule will join his wife later at the St. Louis Exposition.

A "KITCHEN SHOWER."

Mrs. Elizabeth Yorker is planning a "kitchen shower" to be given June 4, at her home on Harrison street. The affair is planned in honor of Miss Edith Lerke, who has been the motif for many delightful informal affairs since her engagement was announced a few weeks ago. The wedding will take place early in June.

ROMEO AND JULIET.

The Shakespeare section of the Adelphean Club entertained last evening at a large reception given to the gentlemen friends of the members at the pretty club rooms on Park street. A scene from "Romeo and Juliet," presented by Miss Florence Young and William Stack, won hearty applause from the gathering. A pretty stage had been formed of ferns and roses, and the artistic setting added much to the play. Miss Minnie Smith sang and Mrs. Sherwood and Samuel Adelstein favored the audience with selections on the lute. Warner Sher-

Bertha Young, Mrs. George E. Gross and Mrs. J. Lorin Fesse. At yesterday's meeting Mrs. Ray Mauvais was substituted for Mrs. J. C. Hampton, who is mourning for her little son.

QUEEN ESTHER CLUB.

Mrs. W. G. Mobley entertained the members of the Queen Esther Whist Club at her home on Eighth street, recently. The rooms were prettily decorated with palms and ferns.

Mrs. W. A. Payne secured the first prize after an enjoyable game, and the second prize was awarded to Mrs. H. A. Glines.

ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON.

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Miss Theresa Rousseau was chairman of the committee of arrangements and Miss Laura Kelly, secretary. Others on the committee were Mrs. M. Gallagher, Mrs. T. J. Ryan and Mrs. James Coakley.

PARTY PLAYED "PIT."

Tuesday evening was the scene of a very pleasant party at the home of Mrs. F. H. Rowland. After music and whist, the party played pit. Immediately after refreshments were served. Mrs. Rowland is a charming hostess and the guests departed with the pleasant assurance of agreeable recollections.

Those present were Mrs. F. H. Rowland, Mrs. Clune, Mrs. Geo. C. Hunt, Miss Esther Porterfield, Miss Hazel Nesbitt, Miss Etta Gale, Miss Minnie Jennings, Miss Helen Hunt, F. W. Rowland, Chas. Jennings, Milton Clune, Maurice Gale, Milan Hunt.

WILL MARRY IN JUNE.

One of the early June weddings will be that of George B. Trahan and Miss Verna T. Watters. The engagement was announced at the bride's home 207 Eighth street, last Thursday evening, where a number of their young friends spent a most enjoyable evening.

Those present were Miss Maude Peterson, Arthur Terstegge, Henry Williams, Miss Ethel Hughes of Alameda, Henry Hansen, Gabriel Daspit, Mr. Mott, Jesse Peterson, Miss Dagmar Dahlgren, George B. Trahan, Howard G. Watters, Mrs. Wm. Watters, Miss Helen Watters and Miss Verna Watters.

GUESTS OF GOVERNOR.

SACRAMENTO, May 21.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the class of '79 of the State University was celebrated Saturday night at the executive mansion. Governor Pardee is one of the most enthusiastic members of the class and he acted as host of the occasion.

About sixty of the class members, with their wives and husbands, accepted the invitation of Governor Pardee and will be his guests during their stay in Sacramento. One of the guests, Rev. Carroll M. Davis, came from St. Louis to be present, while Morris Blen, another member of the class, came from Washington, D. C.

On Saturday evening Governor and Mrs. Pardee presided at a very delightful dinner at which all the members were present and during the remainder of their stay they visited places of interest about the city.

The guests of Governor and Mrs. Pardee are: Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Sanderson, Stockton; Judge and Mrs. Charles Black, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sloss, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mastick, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cowell, Modesto; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tinning, Martinez; Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Kelsey, Merced Falls; Mr. and Mrs. William Keith, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Morse, San Francisco; R. R. Smith and Miss Smith, Stockton; Miss Harriet Whitlow, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chapman, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McMaher, Martinez; John H. Henderson, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scotchler, Berkeley; Professor Edmund O'Neil, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Wormser, San Francisco; Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Beard, Modesto; Mr. and Mrs. John Henry, San Francisco; Rev. Carroll M. Davis, St. Louis; W. E. Dargie, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Tuttle, Auburn; Miss Sarah Bolton, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Whitcutt, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler, St. Helena; Miss Millicent Shinn, Niles; Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Pond, Alabama; R. A. Longenecker, Sonoma; Morris Blen, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Musgrave, Hanford; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Irving, San Francisco, and Adair Welcker, San Francisco.

A program of exceptional merit has been planned and the affair promises to be a success. Miss Marguerite Slocombe will sing several Irish and Scotch ballads and the talented young contributors several numbers. Mr. Clarke will give a reading and Miss Landonberry, the well-known contralto, will sing.

ENTRE NOUS BANQUET.

The annual banquet of the Entre Nous Whist Club will be held at the Mason De La Opera this evening. Handsome souvenir menu cards will be given. The club picnic will follow in about a month.

TO VISIT HER SON.

Mrs. Catherine Holbrook, of Chicago, arrived in the city a few days ago and will reside with her son, Mr. C. M. Shaw, of 1821 Tenth street.

MISS STRONG ENTERTAINS.

Miss George Strong entertained a number of friends recently at a delightful informal card party, planned in honor of Mrs. George Martin, Frederick Page Cutting and Mrs. Frank Allen carried off the prizes.

GOING AWAY FOR VISIT.

Mrs. Arthur Brown left last Sunday for a visit to her son, Arthur Brown, Jr., and will not return here until fall.

TAKE PRETTY HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer have taken the Van Lees Britton house, on Walsworth avenue, and will be established there at once.

MONDAY CLUB MEETS.

Mrs. Frank C. Watson was hostess yesterday afternoon at a pleasant meeting of the Monday afternoon club at her home on Thirteenth street. The pretty souvenirs of the game were secured by Miss Belle Nicholson, Miss Eva Longworthy, and Mrs. F. B. Morse.

The membership of this club includes Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Miss Carrie and Miss Belle Nicholson, Mrs. A. A. Long, Mrs. James Tyson, Mrs. W. T. Gage, Miss Eva Longworthy, Mrs. J. C. Hampton, Mrs. Wickham, Mrs. George, Mrs. Edward Ames, Mrs. D. A. Proctor, Mrs. F. W. Morse, Miss

BACK FROM EUROPE.

Mr. and Mrs. Balfour Adamson have returned from Europe and are staying at the home of Mrs. William C. Little on Broadway. Miss Margaret Henderson, a sister of Mrs. Adamson, accompanied them and is now the guest of Miss Julie Bray Coon of Fruitvale.

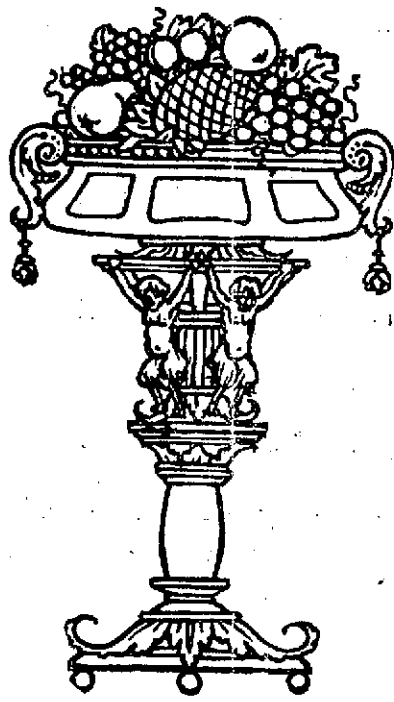
VALENTINES RETURN.

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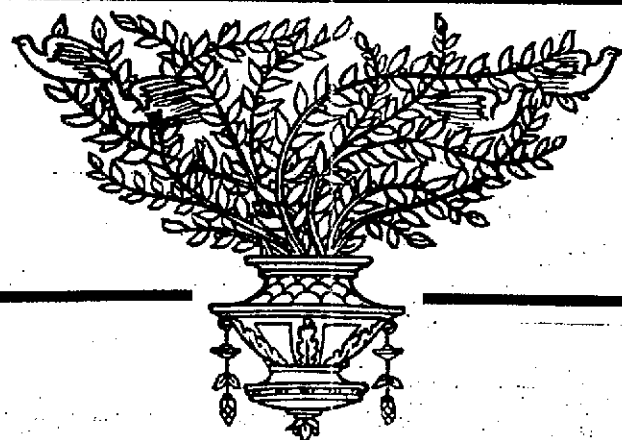


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BROKE HIS NECK.

Louis J. Bettencourt of Alameda Falls to His Death.

Sudden death, overtook Louis J. Bettencourt this morning, when by a fall from a wagon from which he was unloading hay, he broke his neck and when taken to the Receiving Hospital was already dead. His remains were removed to the Morgue and Coroner Mehrmann will hold an inquest on the body.

It is not known whether the deceased lost his balance and fell or was seized with a fainting spell. According to eye witnesses he fell backward from the wagon and while the distance was not great, he must have struck in such a way as to have twisted his neck and dislocated it.

He was a young man but seventeen years of age but of large physique and took pride in his strength. He had taken a load of baled hay to the barn of Smith & Oliver, who conduct large hay warehouses on Franklin street in this city and was on the load attending to the fastening of the hooks into the holes for the purpose of hoisting them to the loft when the accident occurred.

When he fell James Flynn and Thos. White were both close to him and when he failed to move after his fall and did not respond to inquiries as to where he was hurt they sent in a call for the Police Patrol. Bettencourt, however, was even then past all aid of the physician. When laid up on the operating table at the Hospital the last sign of life had disappeared and not even the fluttering of the final heart beats could be detected. The young man lived at 634 Eagle avenue, Alameda.

IS REGISTERING VOTERS.

COUNTY CLERK JOHN P. COOK
GIVES COMPLETE RETURNS
UP TO DATE.

In regard to the status of registration in Alameda county, County Clerk John P. Cook had the following to say in regard to the work as far as it has been advanced:

"Since March 31 I have visited the following cities in Alameda county, with deputies, registering voters: Berkeley, West Berkeley, Centerville, Niles, Alameda, Mission San Jose, Livermore, Irvington, Newark, Hayward, Alvarado, Decoto, San Leandro, San Lorenzo, Pleasanton, Sunol and Mt. Eden, covering the entire county outside of the city of Oakland with the exception of Fruitvale and Elmhurst, which we will visit next week. Up to date the following registrations have been taken: Alameda, 1682; Berkeley, 1515; Washington, 782; Eden Township, 949; Pleasanton Township, 297; Brooklyn Township, 572; Murray Township, 845; Oakland Township, 750; city of Oakland, 3030. Total registration, 9509.

"The registrations of 1902 amounted to 30,000. This year I expect a total registration of 32,500.

"In all districts outside of the city of Oakland, including Alameda and Berkeley, there are about 60 per cent of the voters registered to date. In the city of Oakland there is less than 20 per cent.

"Having completed the registration in the country we will push the registration in the city of Oakland from this time on. Beginning with June 15 the office will keep open nights between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m. for the purpose of accommodating the voters of Oakland. In addition to this I will, during next week, mail a notice to each voter in the city of Oakland registering in 1902 calling attention to the necessity of re-registration and urging him to register at once.

"So far the work has been handled without any confusion and I expect to compile as nearly a complete and perfect register as possible."

GIVEN OVERDOSE OF MORPHINE.

George Maxwell, a laborer in the employ of the Santa Fe was taken to the Receiving Hospital last evening suffering from overdose of morphine. He was treated by Steward Borchert and after about an hour's work he was pronounced out of danger.

Maxwell said that he was suffering from a headache and that some men he knew gave him some medicine which they afterwards told him was morphine. They were in the habit of using it themselves but over-calculated the amount it would take to affect Maxwell. He went on soundly to sleep that they became frightened and sent in a call for the police patrol.

His drowsiness was so heavy that the officers had a hard time keeping him awake while being driven to the Hospital and it took much hard work to wear off the effects of the drug without letting him succumb to its power after he got there.

KENTUCKY ARRIVES AT SANDY HOOK.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The flagship Kentucky with Admiral Evans on board, which left Funchal for New York, May 13, arrived off Sandy Hook Lightship this morning.

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SHOOTS DAGGERS FROM EYES.

THIS CAUSES TWO WOMEN TO ENGAGE IN PUGILISTIC ENCOUNTER.

Nervous prostration on one side and an ability to purr and to look daggers on the other, seems to be the cause of Mrs. Minnie Hoffschneider and Mrs. Minnie Hoffschneider, two sisters-in-law engaging a fierce fist fight at Hopkins and Summer streets at least this is what was gleaned from the testimony of the various witnesses in the case in Police Judge Smith's court this morning.

It further seems that Mrs. Minnie Hoffschneider fears the scornful glances of her sister-in-law more than she does engaging in the pugilistic pastime more affected by the lords of creation. On the day in question, it seems that the two women who reside next door to each other, by mischance took the same car home. This afforded much opportunity for growling. According to Mrs. Minnie, the defendant, every look she received went through her like a knife. She had endured those looks for two years and they had brought on nervous prostration, she said. When the car finally stopped at Millbury street, the fair defendant said that another of those looks was shot in her direction. It was then she stopped and demanded of her sister-in-law the why and wherefores of those scornful glances.

It would be a kindness to draw the curtain on what followed. There was a clash and two beautiful women went down in a heap. Then the two women, who were in an exchange of short-arm jabs. When the melee was over the women went to their respective homes. Mrs. May returned to the prosecuting attorney's office and secured a warrant.

Police Judge Smith held that Mrs. Minnie was in the wrong this morning and fined her \$5 and gave her a friendly admonition to hereafter to confine her troubles to her own home. In fact, his honor instructed both of the women to go their way and sin no more and particularly not to come back into the police court.

The two husbands, brothers, diplomatically did not show up in court, but allowed their spouses to settle everything. The brothers are in business together in San Francisco.

SCAVENGERS ARE HARD TO SERVE.

Deputy Sheriff Jeff Scanlan is out with a pocketful of writs of injunction to serve upon the scavengers who are persisting in dumping garbage on the flats in West Oakland. There has been considerable difficulty experienced in serving the men as most of the owners of wagons have put drivers on in their place and maintain a stolid ignorance of any thing to do with the garbage business. They pretend that they cannot understand and after five hours of driving Deputy Scanlan returned, having been unable to find but the two principals who own the land, out of about twenty-five licensed scavengers.

DEATH OF MRS. SCARLETT.
Mrs. Anna A. Scarlett died this morning in this city at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Hitty B. Taylor. The deceased was 70 years of age and was a native of Canada. Arrangements for the funeral have not been announced yet.

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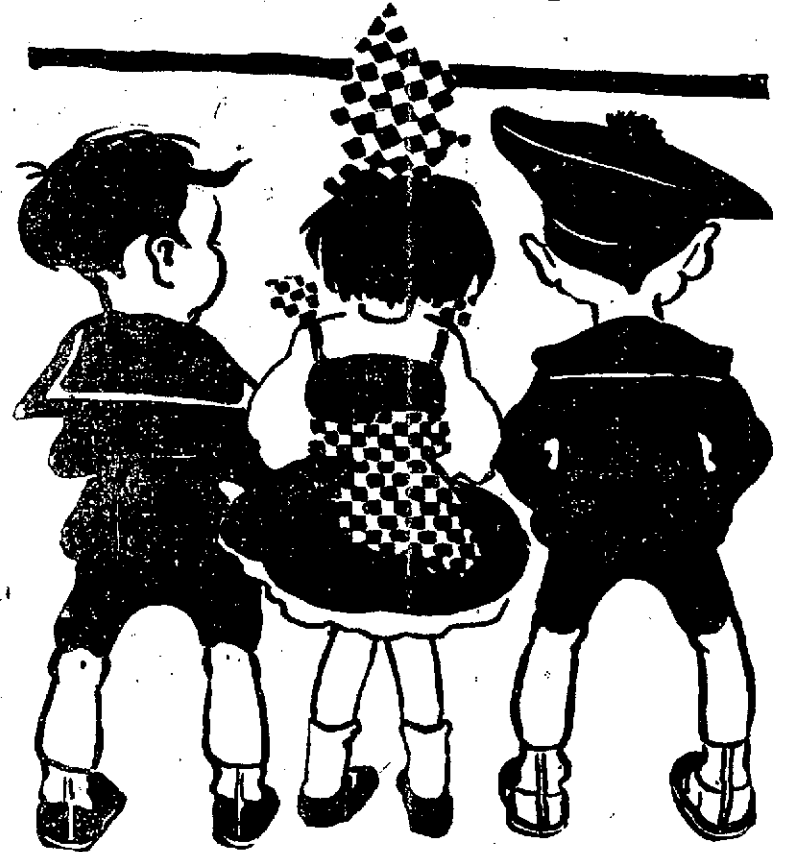


CLEVELAND HALL BAKER.

Among the recent graduates at Stanford University was Cleveland Hall Baker, a former resident of this city. He graduated with high honors from the college. Mr. Baker was given the degree of Bachelor of Arts. The young man is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, well-known residents of Oakland, and who have been temporarily residing in San Francisco. Cleveland was known as one of the most popular boys at Stanford. He was president of the Glee Club, president of the Tennis Club and one of the foremost comedians in all the farces that were given at the college. He took the Glee Club on a tour of the Pacific Coast, scoring a success in every city which the club visited. He was one of the leading boosters of the baseball and football teams at the college. Notwithstanding the fact that he devoted a great deal of time to college sports and amusements, he never neglected his studies, as was shown by his examinations at the end of the college term. Young Baker stood among the leaders of his class and when he graduated President Jordan remarked that no young man at that college would be missed more than Cleveland Baker. The daily Palo Alto, its daily paper at Stanford, has this to say about the young man: "Then, too, so long as we recall Assembly Hall, or the football bleachers, or bring to mind the farces we have here enjoyed, just so long we shall remember Cleveland Baker, of the class of nineteen-four, as 'stuntist,' as comic actor, as yell leader and merry voice in all good fellowship, we count him back through the last four years as part of our best history."

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker are very much gratified at the excellent showing their son has made at college. He has returned home with his honors, bringing with him his sheepskin, showing that he has filled to the brim the expectations of his friends and family. Young Baker will go into his father's office for a time and later he will go to Harvard.

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FLOOD CAME IN THE NIGHT.

LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY IN THE WYOMING DISASTER.

The realty market during the past week has been encouraging in the extreme, and among all the dealers there may be found a cheerfulness which is always an index to prosperous times. Despite the fact, that considerable attention has been devoted to property in the northern part of the city, quite an amount of interest has been displayed in realty near the heart of town. There are indications that there is to be a revival of the development of Twelfth street leading eastward from Broadway which was arrested about ten years ago. This has been stimulated by the prospective transfer to that street of all the cars run to Alameda and Hayward and the northeastern portion of the city. One of the evidences of this re-awakening is the erection of a magnificent four-story brick building at the northeast corner of Twelfth and Harrison streets, where formerly stood an old tumble-down stable. This building will have stores on the ground floor while the upper stories will be occupied by the Polytechnic Business College. The building will be 56,500 feet, modern in every respect and cost \$50,000. It has been designed by A. W. Smith, architect, and will be owned by C. H. King. SOME TRANSFERS. Realty Bonds and Finance Company—An idea of the condition of the realty market may be obtained by the simple enumeration of a few of the transfers recently effected as follows: Ten flats on the corner of Eleventh and Oak streets to Charles M. McGregor, \$20,000; business block on the corner of Telegraph and Broadway, forty-ninth street to C. D. Bates, \$15,000; three residence lots in Linda Vista Terrace to W. H. Mackinnon and A. P. Holland for \$7,500; lot at San Pablo avenue and Twelfth street to J. A. Silveira for \$3,500 who will erect a business block; lot on Twenty-second near Webster streets, portion of Harmon property, to Mrs. May Hackett for \$2,500; a 4,000 square foot residence on Webster, portion of Harmon property, to Miss Alice Blackwood who will build a \$2,750 residence. We have also negotiated a 10-year lease for a new building on San Pablo avenue near Fourteenth street, the rental for the ten years aggregating nearly \$130,000. MANY STRANGERS. Layman Real Estate and Investment Company—The feature of the week has been the spontaneous enthusiasm over the welcome to Oakland of the Santa Fe Railway. The immense crowd of Alameda county citizens and the large number of strangers noticeable that turned out without any boasting, indicated to me more than anything else yet, that there is coming to the front in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda an individualism among their citizens that is just as sure to bring about the same results here as individuality and co-operation have in other communities. It is men and individuals that build cities. Natural advantages never did. They are men who are noticing and observing us and an Oakland man in San Francisco today is constantly being reminded of the fact that Oakland is waking up. It means volume to us as a city to have the outside world talk of us in this way. It is not only putting new life into us but it is giving aid to this city, attracting new people, new money and new merchants, a new element of business and mercantile life that cannot be measured by its today. There is a basic foundation in Oakland today which is particularly encouraging to real estate men and to the city. It is the fact that present values and rental values are rising. It is the fact that the fluctuations in values so often noticeable in cities of no resources, Oakland resources have, in a large sense, trebled within this year by the new city system which, as yet, is but in its infancy and when complete will aid in doubling our population. The source is the terminal of the Santa Fe Railway Company. We cannot measure the great impetus coming from the California men tell me, couple these powerful combinations of capital with that of the great Southern Pacific interests in Oakland and last, but not least, the powerful that all, the awakening of Oakland's civic pride and the assertion of its individuality and its sure life and, and are finding, a tide that is rapidly pushing Oakland to the front. STREET WORK. Holcomb, Breed and Bancroft report, in addition to a good general business, special activity in the Santa Fe tract, located between Forty-seventh and Fifty-fifth streets and running from Shattuck avenue on the east to Adeline on the west. The Ransome Construction Company and the Hutchinson Company are rapidly completing the grading, sewer, gutters, curbing, macadamizing and sidewalk. Those who have built on the tract are: Mr. Oliver, 9 room house; E. U. Stanage, 9 room house; P. J. Borning, 10 room house; Mr. Bellamy, 5 room bungalow; Mr. Durham, 4 flats; Mr. Morehouse, 5 room bungalow. "The business," said a member of the firm, "is very satisfactory. There is no boom but the market is steady and healthy. There are many strangers in town from the East and San Francisco. A great many people come to San Francisco. They stay there a month or so until they find out the superior climate on this side of the bay and then they come here. We find out that many persons, successful in business in mining or lumbering in other parts of the State, look to Oakland as their future home and, after doing well, come here to complete the education of their children. We find lots of them who do that. All this swells the population and makes a demand for the choicest kind of realty."

NUMBER OF SALES. A. J. Snyder & Co.—The realty business is entirely satisfactory to us, especially so for this season of the year. We have made a number of sales, have many deals that are about to be closed and a liberal number of inquiries and, as a rule, from people who want to buy and not those who want to sell time. We may enumerate, among our sales, the home of the late Felix Chapel, at Telegraph and Hobart, to J. B. Norton of the Oakland Iron Works. The ground is 56,100 feet. The home will be turned into an apartment house. Among other transfers, all within the past few days, are a couple of business lots near the Santa Fe and Berkeley local road, \$2,000; two lots, on the north side of Sixty-third street, near King, \$1,800; lot, estate of Edward A. Oleson, to F. W. Gartner, northeast corner of Telegraph avenue and Sixty-second street, \$6,100; \$1,250; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 to A. J. Snyder's re-subdivision, to A. J. Patterson, Mrs. Belle Meyer, E. O. George, Mrs. Gale, Mr. Hill respectively, at prices ranging from \$1,200 to \$1,800; in Snyder & Montgomery's Temescal Park, lot 5 to W. L. Bunker, lot 6 to T. J. Walsh, lot 7 to Mary L. Deming, lot 7, \$1,500; south side of Twelfth street, east of Oakland, from Solomon Reese to Ferdinand Manly, to be built up with data who are going to build three homes on the south side of Twelfth street in A. J. Snyder's re-subdivisions of Rowland tract, houses to cost \$3,000 each.

MANY INQUIRIES. J. H. Macdonald & Co.—There are sales and inquiries for property all over from Berkeley to Oakland and more for property in Oakland than there has been. There is more or less inquiry all the time. We sold sixty feet on Thirty-eighth street, near Telegraph avenue, to a wealthy San Francisco man, who will build a home on it. It was sold at a fair figure. The property belonged to Sam Bell McKee.

ASSASSIN FLED IN THE NIGHT. AMONG THE LABOR UNIONS.

BRUTAL MURDER OF INSURANCE MAN IN N. P. RAILROAD YARDS. HEADQUARTERS OF BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL TO BE RENOVATED.

TACOMA, Wash., May 21.—The police are continuing the hunt for the murderer of Charles S. Gray, who was shot in the freight yard of the Northern Pacific Railroad last night about 8 o'clock. Samuel H. Rockwell, a car sealer, while in the freight house, heard a shot and, looking out, saw a man 100 feet away from the building, dragging the body of the man over an adjacent track and fired a shot into the prostrate form. Rockwell gave the alarm and a dozen men rushed into the yards to head off the murderer. He fled up the track toward the Puyallup river, dodging the posse and officers, and escaped into the brush as the night came on. The police are looking for Frank Pasquale, an Italian laborer. Pasquale owed Gray a small sum of money, over which there has been a slight difficulty. Gray was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he died within half an hour. He had two bullet wounds in the brain. He was a Mutual Aid Society of San Francisco. Gray was a resident of Interbay, Wash. He was 27 years of age.

(A Small Matter.) French Maid (inquiring friend)—Oul, madame is ill, but ze doctor haf pronounce it smelthing very trifling, very small. Friend—Oh, I am so relieved, for I was real anxious about her. What does the doctor say the trouble is? French Maid—Let me recall. It was smelthing very little. Oh, oui, I have it now. Ze doctor says zat madame has ze smeltpox.—The owner's Home Companion.

Mistaken. Mrs. Uppertowne—And you say your grandfather is over eighty? Why, he's an octogenarian! Friend—No, an' he ain't anything by the kind. He aces more an' things just the same as we does.

The gentleman who will compel Mr. Bryan to swallow a platform not nominated by himself is hereby nominated for the first whack at the Carnegie medal.

CAUSE OF FLOOD. Greeley, Colo., May 21.—The flood in the Cache la Poudre river, caused by a waterpout in the foothills yesterday afternoon, has reached its peak today. The river is running bank full and is three feet higher than before since the town was established. No trains have arrived since yesterday. A close watch is being kept on the floods, but no bodies have yet been seen in the flood. It is reported that many sheep, belonging to the Warren Live Stock Company, were drowned in the Lone Tree district. The Weld county poorhouse, situated in the bottomland, is surrounded by water. Considerable difficulty is being experienced in keeping the flood water out of the city pumping plant. Much kind of all kinds is floating on the surface of the water, the river being a mile across or more, and carrying everything that floats.

NOTIFIED PEOPLE. City Marshal E. F. Lynch took the precaution to notify all people living along the lowlands of the coming flood. Had this not been done, a large number of lives would have been lost, as the bottom lands are well settled. It is reported that reservoir No. 2, containing 400,000,000 cubic feet of water, has gone out and that the water is now rushing down on New Windsor and a portion of Greeley. The water in this section will reach \$1,000,000.

A dispatch from Windsor says Robert H. Reube of Timpanog was killed last night and it is also rumored, that ten Russians lost their lives near New Windsor.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION? Comes from non-nourishing food. Better change to Grape-Nuts There's a Reason Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville" in each pkg. World's Fair Exhibit, Space 103. Agricultural Building.

DANA HOPELESSLY INSANE.

HE IS SO VIOLENT TODAY THAT HE WAS REMOVED FROM THE JAIL.

Fred C. Dana, the South Berkeley butcher, held in the County Jail for embezzlement, has become so violent that it is believed that he is hopelessly insane and this morning Sheriff John Bishop had Deputy Edward Sweeney swear to a charge of insanity against him. He was given chloral yesterday in the hopes that it would quiet his nerves and that it would give him a chance to recover from his nervousness. The medicine had the effect of putting him to sleep but when he awoke his derangement was only more apparent and his talk and noise such that it was deemed necessary to put him under restraint. Dana was employed by William Pfaff of Berkeley as a helper in his shop. One day \$200 disappeared and the theft was finally traced to Dana. A charge of misdemeanor embezzlement was sworn to by Pfaff and Dana was tried and convicted. He was to have appeared before Justice of the Peace Edgar at Berkeley yesterday for sentence but his condition was such that it was deemed advisable to hold him for a day or two and see whether he would not get better. His home is on Thirty-eighth street in this city. He has a wife who is ill.

THE FIRST EVICTION. The last of the snakes in the Emerald Isle. He nestled at the edge of the sea. And turned to Saint Patrick, who stood On his feet as broad as could be. Says the snake: "Ye've played us a dirty trick. An' ye think ye've done smelthin' grand. Well the aid iv that ould cooked stick. Ye've driven us out iv the land. 'But ye've startled a dangerous customer, ould man. The devil could not have done worse. For in times that's to come this eviction plan Will sure be ould Ireland's curse. 'There's many a man will be driven From his home whin the rint's over-due. In the very same fashion we sarpiants In today Have been banished from Ireland be ye."

With a flick of his tail and wink of eye The snake quickly vanished from sight. And left poor Saint Patrick wondering why We do wrong when we try to do right. —Isaac Anderson, in Life.

CARPENTERS MEET. Carpenters' Union, No. 1153, at their last meeting initiated twelve candidates and admitted four by card. There are fifteen applications for membership on the table. J. Rogers is now business agent of this union. CAN WORK HERE. Pending affiliation with the Brotherhood of Painters, the sign and carriage painters of San Francisco are privileged to work on this side of the bay. The arrangements were made by the committee appointed for that purpose. RECEIVE DIVIDEND. At their meeting last night the Millmen's Union received its monthly dividend of one dollar per share, from the Progressive Planning Mills in San Francisco. Three members were admitted by card and four applications are on the table. The assessment of the butchers was paid. Five individual members subscribed for a share each in the Co-operative Meat Company. OPPOSING UNION LABEL. A local union here has received a communication from the Tailors' Union of Rochester, New York, which states that the employers have entered into an arrangement not to use the union label on clothing. Our firm, however, is inclined to stand by the label, and the clerks are endeavoring to create a demand for this firm's product. CONDUCTOR SPEAKS. At the picnic and excursion of the Order of Railway Conductors, held today at Mirabel Park on the Russian River, Chief Conductor C. H. Williams delivered the principal address. He is here for the purpose of strengthening his organization and is doing much in that direction.

THE SOUTH'S GREAT CROP. Last year the South raised 15,500,000 bales of cotton—the res. of the world only one-third as much.—and Europe alone paid the South \$1,000,000 for every day in the year for the 3,360,796 bales exported.—World's Work.

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The KNAVE

Some Good Stories From the Santa Cruz Convention
Successful Work of the Republicans at Sacramento

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—The conventions have come and gone, and perhaps the first and largest subject of discussion is Gavin McNab. Just how to size him up in the Democratic battle seems a little beyond the wisest minds. The Hearst supporters feel that he was violently anti-Hearst. The anti-Hearst men are sure he gave them the double-cross and planned to have instructions go through all the time.

There is something to be said on both sides. The Hearst men trusted McNab. He went on to New York and Washington, and there he counseled with both Hearst and Tarpey. Then he came West as Hearst's representative in San Francisco. He was given the San Francisco delegation without a contest because it was supposed he was for Hearst to the core. That delegation could have been taken away from him. The Schmitz influence was eager to back an opposition. Jim O'Brien and Porter Ashe were only too ready to stand in. But as all were supposed to be for Hearst, nobody thought it worth while to make a fight.

After the primaries, rumors began to spread that McNab was not for Hearst. Tom Geary came down from Santa Rosa and after his long fight with McNab had been patched up, assured the anti-Hearst men that the Santa Cruz convention would not in-

struct for Hearst. Suddenly the anti-Hearst men grew active everywhere. The word was passed around that the San Francisco delegation was against instructions, and the opposition, from being crushed and dispirited, grew bold and boastful.

Tarpey and Al Murphy, the Hearst managers, took alarm and began to count noses. They figured they could win without a vote from San Francisco. But to make victory sure they began to try to break McNab's hold on the 168 votes from San Francisco. They sent for the Democratic officeholders—Assessor Dodge, Coroner Leland, District Attorney Byington, Sheriff Curtis, Supervisor Brauhart, Recorder Godchaux. Curtis took to the hills. Godchaux dodged. But the others promised support.

Byington was the only one who made good. He delivered a few votes. The others kept away from Santa Cruz as if it had been plague-stricken. Supervisor Oscar Hicks went to the convention, voted once against Hearst on the chairmanship fight, and then ducked out for home. The position between McNab and the Examiner was not an inviting one for Democratic politicians.

However, the battle for San Francisco delegates went on, and the Hearst managers thought they could get about forty of the 168 even against

the active opposition of McNab. But when Tarpey, at Santa Cruz, forced a show-down on the chairmanship fight, McNab held out all but eight of the San Francisco delegation and voted them against Jeter, the Hearst candidate. That looked very much as if he were anti-Hearst; and he fought to the end with the anti-Hearst men against an instructed delegation.

Now all that seems plain enough. Anybody would say right off that McNab had thrown Hearst down, and the Hearst men feel very wroth to this day. But the anti-Hearst men are just as wroth. They are loud in declaring that McNab lied to them, and they accuse him of letting the Hearst men get the thirty-one votes from San Francisco that finally decided the fight in favor of instructions. And there is something to be said on behalf of their acrimonious contention.

McNab controlled absolutely the selection of delegates from both the Fourth and Fifth districts. He had a free swing. Yet in both he elected to send to St. Louis Hearst delegates. Old Jasper McDonald in the Fourth is in confidential relations with Hearst. McGee, the other delegate, trained with the anti-Hearst, but openly said he would support Hearst at St. Louis. In the Fifth both Hicks of Santa Clara and Cannon of San Francisco were strong Hearst men, and McNab favor-

ed their election. In the outside districts wherever he had influence it seemed to be exerted on behalf of the Hearst candidates, and they were everywhere elected, or as good as elected before the convention took its vote on the instructions resolution.

So, no wonder the anti-Hearst men were so wroth. McNab was secretly for Hearst and really giving them and not the candidate the double-cross. They can hardly be blamed for saying that McNab let the Hearst managers have those thirty-one votes from San Francisco when the great show-down came. They are mad clear through, and they are calling McNab more kinds of liar than are the Hearst men.

As a fact, the San Francisco boss seems to have steered a good course. He tried to placate both sides. He was willing to give Hearst most of the delegation, but wanted a beat instructions and to let four anti-Hearst delegates go to St. Louis as delegates-at-large. But Tarpey and Murphy were too many for him. They dragged those thirty-one votes out of his grip. Poor Dockweiler, who is none too bright, has been saying the Hearst men paid \$50 a vote for the thirty-one, and that he has an affidavit to that effect. But Dockweiler doesn't know. It's just an angry Reuben. There was no boodle, but influence from all sort

of places was brought to bear, and McNab couldn't hold his men. He was white as a sheet when the districts broke away from him, and all his double action went for naught. Now both sides are calling him names. It doesn't always pay to be too smart in politics.

Talking of boodle, the best story of the Santa Cruz convention is on Tom Geary. Just as the man from Santa Rosa was on the platform making his anti-Hearst speech the Bulletin came in with a big front page headline, "Boodle in Evidence," and this was followed by an intimation that the Hearst managers were using "the stuff." An old farmer bought a paper; read a few minutes, threw down the sheet in disgust and exclaimed:

"That isn't true—not a word of it!" "What's that?" asked a bystander. "Why, here it says, 'boodle in evidence.' Anybody knows that if there was any boodle in evidence Tom Geary wouldn't be up there making an anti-Hearst speech."

The idea of the Hearst sack is singularly exaggerated. The fact is, there never was a more penurious campaign. Thus far the entire expenditure in all the country west of the Dakotas and New Mexico—the country in which Tarpey and Murphy are directing the fight—has been a little less than \$14,000. That isn't as much as has been spent in California

to carry one Senatorial district. Yet the wildest tales go round of the enormous sums Hearst is spending. Some of the Hearst delegates from Los Angeles had to borrow money of Republicans to get home on.

The Republican convention was a triumph for the old machine. The Flint forces were entirely out of it, and the Pardee following was entirely satisfied with the result. Things went as smoothly and languidly as if they had been running just that way for years. Duncan McKinlay's phenomenal and supernatural snore was the only thing to disturb the harmony.

There was no effort to keep Ruff from having his entire say. When he entered the convention hall Sergeant-at-arms Jack Stafford met him at the rail and escorted him up the aisle in state. The convention cheered him and forced him to make a speech. But just now there is a bit of trouble ahead.

Treasurer John McDougald wanted to go to Chicago as a district delegate. He wanted to go the very worst way. Postmaster Arthur Fisk wanted him to go, and Fisk is a power. But Ruff turned McDougald down and substituted Power, another Labor Union man. Fisk and McDougald are mad clear through. They insist that Ruff and Schmitz were afraid McDougald would get too big and too

prominent for them. When McDougald and Fisk start in to give Ruff battle some fur is going to fly.

Then again, in the Fifth district, Ruff hit his old friends, the Hayes brothers, of San Jose, a sharp slap in the face. He named Mitchell Phillips as one of the delegates. Phillips was an old Rea-Mackenzie machine man. Then he went over to the reformers and the Hayes brothers made a pet of him. But in this year's fight he went back to his early love, and the Hayes brothers have it in for him. In the Gage fight Ruff was with the Hayes interests; but he persisted in electing Phillips, and now the Hayes papers are more than likely to say some sharp things about Ruff.

Senator Bard is due in San Francisco on Tuesday next. Then he is to begin his active campaign for re-election. The other day Senator Rowell of Fresno, the most earnest of the Bard supporters, dropped a significant remark. Said he:

"You know Senator Bard really is not a close-fisted man."

That would indicate that the opening of the Oxnard sugar barrel is to be met by the breaking of the Bard oil barrel. There may be lively times ahead in California politics.

THE KNAVE.

DO NOT CREDIT IT
TO FUNSTON.
SCIENTIST LOSES
BACILLI.

COMMITTEE OF KANSAS EDUCATORS OUT OUT EPISODE FROM BOOKS.

CHICAGO, May 21.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Topeka, Kas., says: Pupils of the Kansas high schools will no longer be taught that it was for swimming the Bag Bag River in the Philippines an old man of a hot bat from the enemy that General Frederick Funston was promoted from Colonel to Major-General to be a brigadier-general in the regular army.

A sub-committee of the State Text Book Commission has ordered the account of the incident expunged from the history, which has been reprinted for use in the high schools. The committee declared in explicit terms that his promotion was earned by his action in swimming the Bag Bag in the face of a severe fire from the enemy.

Trembley White, to whom it belongs, said Commissioner McCray, a member of the sub-committee. The misstatement that Gen. Funston ever swam the river will be dropped now while there are men living in the State that knew it is not true.

WILL ATTACK THE RACE TRACKS.

NEW YORK, May 21.—A leading law firm of this city is stated to have accepted a retainer to direct an attack of great proportions upon the race tracks. All races in existence in C. near New York will be subjected to the most vigorous campaign in the history of racing. The war, it is said, will be a measure growing out of the suppression of the pool rooms. It is even intimated that plans are being formulated for legislation which would make racing in this State impossible.

Already a public attack upon the race tracks has been begun, demands are being made for the abolition of betting and negotiations are said to be under way for the publication of articles to this end. The State also will be entered for money lost to the bookmakers and attempts made to carry the cases to the highest courts.

DR. FISK RETIRES.

CHICAGO, May 21.—The Rev. Herbert Franklin Fisk, D. D., L. L. D., formerly thirty-one years principal of Northwestern University Academy, has resigned that position and will resign his post June 16th. Dr. Fisk is nearly sixty-five years old and his desire to lead a life free from official responsibility and to have more time to pursue his special studies led him to send in his resignation.

During his regime Dr. Fisk raised his school from the rank of a mere preparatory department to a small college into the front rank of the best secondary schools in the country. In both Europe and America he is regarded as an expert in this field of education.

HAS SLEPT TWENTY-FOUR DAYS.

CHICAGO, May 20.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Ponticello, Illinois, says: The case of Mrs. F. B. Caldwell, wife of Dr. F. B. Caldwell, is attracting the attention of persons throughout Central Illinois. She has been sleeping twenty-four days and nights and all efforts to awaken her have failed. She is much emaciated and little hope of recovery is entertained.

ENGLISHMAN DROPS A PACKAGE AND POLICE ARE ON THE TRAIL.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Several thousand Baccilli taken from plague sufferers in India and enclosed in a small tin case, leather-bound, were been lost somewhere between St. Paul and Chicago, by W. W. H. Hurlbut, a scientist from London, England, who arrived here. The baccilli are as yet unarmored, though labeled. Some are mounted and some are preserved alive in media prepared by Dr. Hurlbut.

The small and valuable objects, important in their relation to science, had been collected after three years of travel and investigation through Beraar, Hyderabad, the vicinity of the Rajputana desert and coast districts in India, and are destined for the use of learned men of England and Germany in their researches regarding the Asiatic plague, which, Dr. Hurlbut says, up to this time have not yielded definite results. The loss has been reported to the police and railroad officials.

SPORTSMEN TO APPEAR IN COURT.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Agents of the District Attorney have served subpoenas on a number of well known capitalists and sportsmen returnable on Monday. Among those said to have been notified are John W. Gates, John A. Drake and Mortimer Schiff. The recipients of the summons are divided in their opinions as to the purpose of District Attorney Jerome in calling them before a decision had been secured in the case of Jesse Lewisohn, who was recently questioned as to his knowledge of Richard Canfield's house and refused to answer.

The District Attorney left the city while his subpoena served were at work and will remain over Sunday at his summer home near Lisleville, Conn. When questioned by the press he refused to give any information as to his intentions.

WOMEN MEMBERS FOR BOARD OF TRADE.

The following letter was read before the directors of the Oakland Board of Trade yesterday:

"OAKLAND, Cal., May 10, 1904. 'Gentlemen: When soliciting funds for Santa Fe Day last week I approached Mrs. Havens of the Blake block and she spoke of the good work the Board of Trade was doing and suggested that if the Board would accept ladies as members that Mrs. Blake and herself would be pleased to join. I immediately took her applications, which I herewith enclose, and I trust the Board will see its way clear to accept them as members. They are large real estate owners, and the very class of people who should help to support our organization. When it can be shown that the lady real estate owners are showing their loyalty, it may appeal to the large number of other real estate owners to affiliate with our body. Yours truly,

"WM. J. LAYMAN."

The following were elected members of the Board of Trade at the meeting of the directors Friday afternoon: Dr. L. S. Irwin, Dr. W. J. Wilcox, Harmon Bell, Chas. H. Wood, M. V. Cooley, W. E. Thomas, Harry H. Smith, Diedrick Knabe, Conkley Bros., John Slavich, D. J. Clark, G. H. Stoll, Mrs. H. H. Hayes, Mrs. M. K. Blake, Herbert D. Wise, B. Bishop, Boehm, Campbell and Co., and Platt Bros.

COMMENCEMENT DAY.

Miss Laura Canty and Miss Helen Dineen will be the graduates this year from St. Francis de Sales School on Grove street. Elaborate preparations are going on for the commencement exercises which promise to eclipse any ever held at this well known school.

UNHAPPY STUDENT HAS GONE TO MEXICO.



WALTER EASTMAN HAWLEY.

BERKELEY, May 21.—The news has been received here from Los Angeles that Walter E. Hawley, who left the University of California last week, after confessing to embezzlement from the firm of Milkless and Berry, has left his home in the South for Mexico. Before his apprehension and subsequent settling of his defalcation for \$500, Hawley announced his intention of accepting a position that was open to him in Mexico.

MAY BUILD A NEW HOTEL.

BOARD OF TRADE TO CONSIDER ADVISABILITY OF GETTING BEHIND SCHEME.

The attention of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade was directed to a proposition to build a tourist hotel at the corner of Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue. It is proposed to erect a building to contain 200 rooms and which will be modern in every respect. The matter was referred to the Committee on Public Improvements and this committee will meet on next Monday to consider the matter.

DEADLOCK IN BOARD OF WEST OAKLAND CLUB'S APPLICATION.

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works yesterday there was present Mayor Olney and City Attorney J. C. Elroy. City Engineer Turner being the absentee.

Permission was granted by the Board to O. G. Newhall, to erect a temporary band stand on Eleventh street, between Broadway and Washington streets for the purpose of giving a concert tonight. The petition of the United Charities Carnival to suspend an electric sign during the week of the carnival was laid over one week to permit Max Schlieter to appear with permission of the property owners.

The request of Julius C. Hansen to erect a temporary dog sign was granted.

John Simmen was granted permission to erect a temporary board, enclosed on corner of Thirteenth and Franklin streets. Secretary Walter Fawcett of the Board was authorized to advertise for supplies for the next fiscal year for the various

ASKS FOR MORE
FIREMEN.

FIRE CHIEF HAS NOT ENOUGH MEN AND WANTS FORCE INCREASED.

If the City Council grants the request of Fire Chief N. A. Ball the local Fire Department will have added to it a foreman, one driver, one steward and six extra men. The Chief stated in a communication to the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners yesterday that the appointment of these men was absolutely necessary for the good of the service.

Fire Chief Ball also asked that eighty-eight extra men be appointed for the 3d and 4th of July at a cost of \$5 each. The entire matter was referred to the Council by the Commissioners.

DEADLOCK IN BOARD.

There was a deadlock in the board yesterday over the granting of a boxing permit to the West Oakland Athletic Club. City Attorney McElroy voted aye, Mayor Olney voted nay, both laughed a little and the resolution was declared lost. City Engineer Turner was absent.

"The only way for the club to get the permit is to present another petition when Turner is here," said the Mayor.

The resignation of W. J. Moffitt as a special policeman was accepted.

ELIJAH TO BE SANG AT ST. PAUL'S.

The production of Mendelssohn's oratorio, "Elijah," at St. Paul's Episcopal Church next Thursday evening, is a musical event of the largest importance, and public interest is at its height. The quality of the concerted work put forth under the leadership of Edwin Dunbar Randall is well attested at the concerts of the Oakland Orpheus Club of male voices. It is believed by those in touch with the preparations for rendition of "Elijah," that Mendelssohn's greatest masterpiece will be given with the best measure of dramatic power possible with a splendidly drilled chorus of eighty voices, selected soloists and pipe organ.

The soloists will be Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter, Mrs. Mollie Melvin Dewing, Geo. L. Nash, Mrs. E. Nash, Miss Minnie G. Smith, Miss Mary Chester Williams, Mrs. Blanche Young, C. E. Lloyd Jr., Ernest H. McCandlish, Lowell Redford and J. F. Yeago.

The entire public are cordially invited. No invitations have been issued, no admittance fees charged. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock sharp, doors open at 7:30.

CHINESE REFORMERS SENTENCED.

SHANGHAI, May 21, afternoon.—The two remaining members of the staff of the Chinese reform newspaper Supao were sentenced today to two and three years' hard labor, respectively, dating from their arrest last year, with banishment from every foreign settlement upon the expiration of their sentence.

In August last the Taoist of Shanghai issued warrants for the arrest of the editor and staff of the Chinese reform newspaper Supao published in Shanghai. The reformers were accused of publishing seditious matter. It was reported that the prisoners were about to be tortured, but through the intervention of the British Minister, acting subsequently with the American Government, this was averted and the prisoners were given an open trial with above results.

The Board referred the Council resolution authorizing the gardeners of the New Era Club at the First M. E. Church, The Association orchestra will be present and furnish enlivening music. An enthusiastic gathering seems assured.

NEW ERA CLUB PLANS FOR MEETING.

Invitations have been mailed to over five hundred members of leading church Men's Clubs by the New Era Club, inviting them to attend its next meeting, to be held Tuesday evening next in the First M. E. Church.

The distinguished speakers, Rev. P. A. Baker, D. D., of Washington, D. C., and Judge W. H. Anderson, of Chicago, will address the meeting upon civic issues, such as are now being conducted by the "Oakland Common Good Alliance." Each member is asked to bring a gentleman friend. If this is done over a thousand men may be expected.

If any club has been overlooked, special invitations will be mailed by notifying N. H. Hall, secretary of the New Era Club, at the First M. E. Church. The Association orchestra will be present and furnish enlivening music. An enthusiastic gathering seems assured.

REMEMBRANCE OF
THE BRAVE.

FORMAL DEDICATION OF SOLDIER PLAT AT ST. MARY'S CEMETERY.

The flagstaff for the Soldiers' burial plat at St. Mary's cemetery has been erected and painted, and on Memorial Day, May 30, will, with the plat itself, be formally dedicated. On it thenceforth will wave the country's colors on national holidays, and beneath it will be held on Decoration Day of each year exercises commemorative of the deeds of those who sacrificed and died to save the Union.

The dedicatory exercises this year will be unusually impressive. They will be preceded by a procession in this city, of which C. B. White will be grand marshal, and which will comprise Company A, Veteran Reserves, N. G. C., Captain C. K. King commanding; Companies E and N, League of the Cross, Captains James Reedy and Captain H. J. Leonard, respectively, commanding. These organizations will act as escort to Appomattox Post, No. 50, of this city, for the Hokey Band of Alameda, Captain W. R. Thomas commanding; Alameda Hospital Corps, Captain John Campbell commanding; Fred Finch Orphanage children, the Berkeley Cadets, school children and others.

The correct and complete program for the exercises in the cemetery is as follows: Revell by Buglers Miller and Harris, Company A, Veteran Reserves, N. G. C.; Spangled Banner, by Band of Company A, Veteran Reserves, N. G. C.; unfurling of flag by Master Raymond Travers, a grandson of Captain Jacob Winkler, assisted by Sergeant Sherwood and Corporal Douglas, both of the Hokey Band of Alameda, Company A, Veteran Reserves, N. G. C.; introduction of President of the Day by Chairman J. Winkler; reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, by Hon. T. O. Crawford; Red, White and Blue, by the Hokey Band of Alameda; Day Thoughts, by J. F. McCue, graduate of St. Mary's College; oration, by Rev. Father McNally, Sr.; "America," by the Band; taps, by Buglers Miller and Harris, Company A, Veteran Reserves, N. G. C.

After the ceremony Company A will proceed to Mountain View Cemetery new plot to render honors over the graves of Comrades of Company A. Appomattox Post, No. 50, of this city, G. A. R., and others will be present.

The pole erected on the plat was donated by Hugh Hogan.

The flag is the gift of James Cahill, past commander Lyon Post, G. A. R. The committee of the Hokey Band comprises Jack Winkler, F. W. Byrod and P. Reynolds.

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ELMHURST IMPROVEMENT CLUB WILL DEVOTE ITS EFFORTS TO THIS END.

There was an unusually large attendance at the regular meeting of the Elmhurst Improvement Club on Thursday evening. The following named gentlemen were elected to membership: Rev. E. E. Clark, Thomas Hooper, Wm. Speegle and J. Bauer. The committee to whom the matter of the unsanitary condition of the creek crossing Kinross avenue, was referred, reported that they had called on the supervisor of this district, also that County Health Officer Chalmers and Deputy District Attorney had visited the locality, and found that the creek which should have an unobstructed course to the bay, had been filled up by certain parties who used it for a dumping ground; filling it up with garbage and dead animals; thus damming the natural water-way and making a stagnant pool. The above named officials have taken the matter under consideration and will endeavor to adopt measures for the abatement of the nuisance.

In responding their report the aforementioned committee suggested that the improvement club favor the organization of a sanitary district, as in their minds it appeared to them that owing to the steady increase in the population that the only way to get rid of the unsanitary conditions was by having a sanitary board vested with full power to enforce the laws enacted for the protection of health.

President James J. O'Toole offered the following resolution:

"Whereas, The health of the community is a matter of vital interest, and it is very apparent that the population of Elmhurst is so rapidly increasing that it behooves us at this time to recognize the necessity of being in a position to enforce all laws enacted for the preservation of health, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Elmhurst Improvement Club place itself on record as advocating the organization of a sanitary district, within the boundaries of the Elmhurst School District, the lines of said sanitary district to be hereafter established; be it also

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to consult with the District Attorney of Alameda County for the purpose of securing information as to the proper manner of proceeding in the matter of organizing a sanitary district, and that said committee be instructed to report at the next regular meeting; and be it further

Resolved, That the Elmhurst Improvement Club arrange to hold a public meeting of the residents of Elmhurst to discuss the advisability of organizing a sanitary district."

The resolution was adopted and Vice President A. F. Lange, who occupied the chair, appointed the following committee: Wm. H. Hooper and H. C. Olson.

ODELL TO GO TO EUROPE.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Governor Odell has decided to make a short European trip before the Republican National Convention. The Governor, who also is chairman of the State Committee, will sail on Tuesday next with his son, Herbert. Four days will be spent in Paris and three in London, enabling him to return to New York about June 17.

MURDER IN TACOMA.

TACOMA, Wash., May 21.—Charles A. Gray, agent for a San Francisco insurance company, was brutally murdered last night in the railroad yards by an unknown man. Some railroad men were witnesses to the tragedy and started in pursuit of the murderer who dropped his victim and took to the brush. He was cornered by the posse but made his escape as there was only a shotgun in the party.

BERKELEY

SUBURBAN

NEWS

UNIVERSITY

PLUCKY WOMAN BATTLES
TO SAVE HER HOME.

Mrs. J. A. Slater Sends Her Little Girl to Ring in Fire Alarm While She Uses Garden Hose.

BERKELEY, May 21.—With nobody to aid her but her little daughter, Mrs. J. A. Slater, of 2045 Ellis street, battled bravely yesterday afternoon to save her home from destruction by fire. With her little girl, Margaret, aged 10, the plucky woman dragged out the garden hose and played it on the flames until they were beyond her control. When she saw that the fire could not be subdued single handed, she dispatched her little girl to the nearest box that an alarm might be rung in.

The building was finally saved after it had been damaged to the amount of about \$500. The blaze started in a brooder and several hundred little chickens were cremated in the blaze.

For the first time in the history of the fire records of the city there were two alarms of fire within the space of an hour. Before the fire broke out at the Slater home the volunteers were called out to subdue flames in the home of Mrs. A. H. H. Shattuck at 2541 Shattuck avenue. In a closet set fire to some clothing, causing a loss of about \$100.

STUDIES FOR JAPANESE
CO-EDS.

HEAD OF THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY IS IN BERKELEY ON A VISIT.

BERKELEY, May 21.—The University is being visited by Shozo Aoi, Dean of the Japanese Women's University, who is making an extensive tour of educational institutions in the United States and England, with the purpose of studying methods of organization and instruction employed in them. Mr. Aoi will spend about a year in the United States, after which he will go to England for a shorter period.

He was much interested in the University of California and its various departments. He manifested special interest in the college life of the women students at the University.

The Japanese Women's University, of which Mr. Aoi is Dean, is a college established to Tokyo three years ago for Japanese women. It has a University department, proper, post graduate, and preparatory departments. There are three general courses given in the University proper, these being courses in Japanese literature, English literature and domestic science. Departments of pedagogy, music, art and science are soon to be added. They curricula of instruction

tion embraces, in addition to the topics mentioned in departments already established, Oriental European, English history, constitutional history, ethics, psychology, general philosophy, horticulture, drawing, pedagogy and methods of teaching and music.

The faculty of the University numbers fifty instructors, including graduates from the Japanese Imperial University, Yale University, Michigan University, Wellesley College and Wesleyan University.

Most of its members are Japanese, though being but five Americans upon it. The total enrollment of students in the University is something over six hundred.

INSECT CRAWLED INTO HIS EAR.

BERKELEY, May 21.—William Scheuer of Third street, West Berkeley, has been suffering from a severe illness caused by the bite of an insect. The bug first bit him in the ear and then crawled so far into the opening that he was compelled to call in some of the best known specialists in San Francisco.

The troublesome insect has not been located and Scheuer's ear has been swollen to double its normal size.

PROMOTION FOR TWO PHILOSOPHERS.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Two additional promotions in the department of philosophy have been authorized by the Board of Regents of the University of California. They are Charles M. Bakewell, to be professor of the history of philosophy and Knight Dunlap to be instructor in philosophy.

HE WILL WRITE COLLEGE WEDDING
PLAYS. IN JUNE.

EMIL KRUSCHKE.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Emil Kruschke, the student playwright and comedian of the University of California, will depart in a few days for New York where he has been called by a leading theatrical management to read two of his plays. If the farces prove to be satisfactory, some of the college color



MISS INEZ SHIPPEE.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Notable among the engagements that have just been announced at the close of the college term is that of Miss Inez Shippee, a member of the Gamma Phi Beta society, and Francis H. Dam, a prominent young lawyer of San Francisco.

Miss Shippee, who was unusually popular while in college, graduated with the class of 1902, while Mr. Dam took his degree from the University in 1896 and from Hastings College of the Law in 1900.

The nuptials will take place during the latter part of June.

CHURCH LADIES GIVE PICNIC TO CHOIR.

BERKELEY, May 21.—A pleasant social event of the season was the picnic given today by the ladies of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, in honor of the choir. In Dimm canyon. The party left Berkeley at 9 o'clock and were directed by Miss Weldon.

ALUMNI ELECT
NEW OFFICERS.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND TRUSTEE BOARDS UNDERGO CHANGES AFTER BALLOTING.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Alexander G. Eklund was chosen president of the University of California Alumni Association at an election held last night at the Mark Hopkins Institute of Art. The evening resolved itself into an enjoyable social affair and on the reception committee were graduates of classes as far back as 1886.

The other officers elected were: Warren Olney Jr., first vice-president; James P. Booth, second vice-president; Alfred S. Shattuck, secretary, and James K. Moffitt, treasurer. Alexander G. Eklund and Alfred S. Shattuck were elected trustees. W. T. Ritter, P. E. Bowles, J. N. Le Conte, Charles E. Green and Alexander G. Eklund (ex-officio), comprise the board of administrators of the Le Conte memorial fund.

The galleries were well filled with ex-Berkeleyites and after the election light refreshments were served. The affair was conducted under the auspices of Frank Otis and W. E. Creed, who have served their allotted two years on the board of trustees.

DRAW GREAT BEAM FROM MAZE OF STEEL.

BERKELEY, May 21.—The workmen on the First National Bank building at the corner of Shattuck avenue and Center street have just completed the difficult task of extracting a forty-foot beam that had fallen and become wedged in the steel framework of the building. To remove the beam that had become entwined among the steel braces in a remarkable manner was a hard feat and tested the greatest skill of the steel workers.

At the time the beam fell, John Derg, one of the workmen, was carried with it and quite severely injured in his fall of four stories.

SAN DIEGO MAN IN TROUBLE.

ELMIRA, N. Y., May 21.—Edwin L. Richards, of San Diego, Cal., who was arrested at Newark, N. J., recently on complaint of four Elmira men, who claimed he had sold them land in Georgia, which existed only on paper, has been released, the complaint, having been withdrawn. Richards, who had been in the city for some time, had been returned. Richards asserted he bought the land from a Chicago dealer in road kills.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS
ARE IN SESSION.

Large Convention is in Progress at the Park Congregational Church of Berkeley.

BERKELEY, May 21.—In the Park Congregational Church of this city the Christian Endeavor societies of Alameda county are holding their quarterly convention. The session is an unusually interesting one, several notable addresses being given and is very well attended. The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Congregational Church is acting as the reception committee and a very enjoyable afternoon and evening is promised the visiting young people.

The convention was opened with praise service conducted by H. F. Keller. Then followed the Quiet Hour, led by H. W. Miller of this city. Doremus Scudder, the president of the Park Congregational Christian Endeavor Society, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by H. W. Miller. J. E. White, president of the Calvary Christian Endeavor, delivered a very interesting address on "What is the Mission of Christian Endeavor?" Miss Ruth Waterman rendered a very pretty solo. "The Voice of the Father."

Rev. H. J. Vosburgh spoke on the question, "Has Christ been Filled?" Rev. F. H. Maar delivered a very telling and interesting address on "The Way of Christian Endeavor." What Will We Make of It? Rev. Dwight E. Potter of Oakland addressed the convention on "Santa Rosa, 1904." The afternoon session was closed with a question box

conducted by J. W. Hatch and A. M. Sutherland.

At 5:30 o'clock this evening a basket lunch will be served in the parlors of the Park Congregational Church. L. S. Potter, acting as toastmaster. The banquet room has been very prettily decorated for the occasion. A social committee composed of Francis Irvin, chairman; Corrado Olgers, Mary Rutherford and Eric Scudder. This committee also had charge of providing hot tea and coffee for the basket lunch. The body of the church was decorated by the Junior Christian Endeavorers of the church.

The programs were very unique in design and a great deal of credit is due the program committee for the able way in which they carried out the affair.

The committee is composed of Doremus Scudder, chairman; George Bordwell, Alameda; A. M. Sutherland, Oakland; Miss Mary Wray, Oakland; Mr. McKinnis, ex-officio president of the County Christian Endeavor.

The program for this evening is as follows:

Praise service, led by A. T. Sutherland; Anthem, "Ashamed of Jesus," Santa Rosa, 1904; J. E. White, solo; Charles W. Brock, address, "Spiritual Problems of the Society;" Rev. Dwight E. Potter, address, "Spiritual Problems of the Individual;" J. N. Halliday, consecration service, led by Dr. Sara E. Wise; Mizpah,

COLLEGIANS PAY DEBT.

STUDENTS PAY BILL RATHER THAN GO TO THE TROUBLE OF FIGHTING SUIT.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Rather than be put to the trouble and annoyance of appearing as defendants in a collection suit that was to have been aired in a San Francisco justice court, the graduating seniors of the University of California have paid the remainder of their debt on

the 1904 Blues and Gold.

The book was issued when the classmen were juniors and cost the comparatively stupendous sum of \$562.50. James Fozard, the manager of the publication, left the city before all the bills due the book for advertising.

Now these have been collected and not only has the indebtedness against the book been paid but a small surplus has been left in the treasury. This will be applied to the permanent organization fund.

Considerable consternation was created among the classmen and the graduating class a few days ago when the leading members were summoned to appear and show cause why the debt should not be paid.

MRS. ELIZABETH O'NEILL DIES AT ADVANCED AGE.

BERKELEY, May 21.—Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neill died at the Berkeley sanitarium Thursday evening at the age of 87 years. The deceased was the sister-in-law of Mrs. Thersfield of West Berkeley.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

TO TAX WAGONS
IN EMERYVILLE.

LOW RATE SUGGESTED AND CITY FATHERS WILL ACT SOON ON QUESTION.

EMERYVILLE, May 21.—The question that is soon to come up before the Board of Trustees is that relating to the taxes on wagons as carriers. There has been some talk about reducing the present wagon tax to \$2 per annum. This will mean a cut from the present rate of two-thirds. While at first glance this might look like a material reduction in the revenue of the town of two-thirds, in reality the financial result will be greatly to the benefit of Emeryville. The low tax assessed of \$2 per year will allow more wagons to take out a license and give employment to many more whose business would not allow of a high tax. The incoming of the Santa Fe at Emeryville is responsible for the decreased rate in taxes, as many express wagons will be allowed to enter in the baggage competition. The beer and soda water wagons bear a large amount of the wagon taxes. As it is now all will have an equal chance at a low rate. The town taxes will in no way be affected.

KEY ROUTE WORK.

The Key Route Company is laying another track on Fortieth street. A large gang of workmen is busy and the work is being rushed along as fast as possible.

SANTA FE.

The finishing touches are being made by the Santa Fe people. The tracks on the east side of San Pablo are being spiked into permanent position. A new culvert is being put in place and the old and rotted boards taken up.

WATER PIPE LAID.

The water company is laying a three-foot conduit on Fortieth street.

PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS.

The residences of the various property owners are being put in shape and renovated for the summer season. The lawns and grasses beside the sidewalks are undergoing a general trimming and dressing.

WORKMEN'S HOLIDAY.

The gang of workmen employed by the Santa Fe Company were paid off last Wednesday. They chose to make the day a select one and assembled in their tents to jubilate. There was no disturbance and the day was one of hilarious pleasure.

RUSSIAN TRAINS ARRIVE.

LIAO YANG, May 21.—Eleven military trains have come in here during the past twenty-four hours.

The Russians' trouble is rising; by leaps and bounds. The rains have stopped suddenly and fine weather has set in.

DR. MURPHY TO PREACH.

WILL SUPPLY AT MORNING SERVICE AT GOLDEN GATE BAPTIST CHURCH.

GOLDEN GATE, May 21.—Tomorrow's sermon at the Baptist church, at which the Rev. Dr. Currin officiates, will assemble an unusually large congregation to hear the Rev. Murphy preach. Rev. Murphy is a well known divine, and will preach at the morning service in his usual interesting manner. The subject has not yet been announced.

REV. CURRIN'S SERMON.

The evening service at the Golden Gate Baptist church will be largely attended as usual from the fact that Rev. Dr. Currin will continue his series of "talks." These little friendly lectures have attracted an increase in the attendance. The subject that Rev. Dr. Currin has chosen is "The Music of Life as Seen in the Alto, Bass, Tenor and Soprano." It will be a most novel and interesting series of talks, as both the minister and the choir will illustrate the question. Last Sunday's audience was the largest that has ever assembled in the church from the fact that the subject of the sermon, applied to many. The subject was "The Santa Fe," and the preacher drew most apt comparisons.

ROLL CALL.

A most enjoyable evening was indulged in by the members of the Golden Gate Baptist church last night, the occasion being that of the yearly roll call. After the regular roll call the evening was spent in speech making, toasts, singing and a general good time. Refreshments were served.

DIVORCEE LEAVES.

Mrs. Victor Huberick, who recently secured a divorce from her husband, left this morning for her home in Paso. Mrs. Huberick's daughter accompanied her. The family has been living at 924 Forty-first street. Mrs. Huberick will join her mother in Texas.

GUESTS LEAVE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Safford, who have been sojourning in this town for about ten days past, left for Auburn Thursday. They have been staying with P. D. Martin and came to attend the commencement exercises when their son, E. K. Safford, graduated. Mr. Safford is a prominent merchant of Auburn.

TO FORM SOCIAL CLUB.

Much interest has been evinced among the younger set in the proposed formation of a social club. The purpose is to hold two dances each month, and the affair is being pushed by those interested. It is expected that the club will be a success.

Occasional silence would improve some people's conversation.

GOLD BASEBALLS
FOR TEAM.

EMBLEMS IN MINIATURE ARE GIVEN TO MEMBERS OF THE VARSITY.

BERKELEY, May 21.—The members of the University of California baseball team who made the Varsity for the first time this year have just been awarded gold baseballs and emblems in miniature to commemorate their winning the series from Stanford.

The keepers are in the form of miniature baseballs and are of gold with blue enamel. The lettering is "Champions 1904. California, 6-2-4. Stanford 2-5-3."

The men who played on the team for the first time this year and who received the gold balls are: Harry Wall, pitcher; Strub, Graham, Gillis and Hamilton. Heitmueller, Adams and Bliss have already been given mementoes as members of last year's team.

TOWN TALK.

This week's issue of Town Talk is very heavy. The Santer's comment on the Democratic Convention in Santa Cruz is caustic and to the point. Other Santer's topics are: The career of Stanley, the sturdiest man in clubdom, in plush-covered Bohemia; the Eastward exodus; the Oelrichs really deal; natural news; Mrs. Berry Wall's maid and her local career; a tub bed in Alameda; a Berkeley pedagogical conceit; an Alameda saloon; stories of Macfield; Joe Redding's mot, etc. Theodore Bonnet writes of Alice Nelson's career and Harry Cowell writes of "Growing Old." There's a poem, a double ballad, by Louis A. Robertson. "The Pigmy Should Not Play the Giant's Game." All departments are interesting.

MAY FORM LARGE TRUST.

NEW YORK, May 21.—A call has been issued for a meeting of presidents of the Trust Companies of New York State with the object of forming a trust company association along the lines of the national, State and savings bank of this State.

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CHARGED WITH
INSANITY.

WOMAN IN SAN LEANDRO IS CAUSE OF CONSIDERABLE TROUBLE.

SAN LEANDRO, May 21.—A charge of insanity was preferred yesterday against a Portuguese woman named Isabel Lorian, who resides on San Leandro avenue. The complainant was Mrs. Laura Leno, and she is supported in her action by a number of neighbors. It appears that the woman, who has resided in the place for years, has made it generally unpleasant for all her neighbors, who dared not even look at her lest she attack them with her tongue, at least. For a long time this has been endured, but of late her language and actions were so threatening that they have decided to stave it no longer, and have resolved to rid the town of her, if possible. On a former occasion when arrested for using foul language she attempted to shoot the officer. The pistol was taken away, but she is said to have since purchased another, which she carries concealed on her person. For this reason, the officers, a rather chary of making the arrest, fearing a repetition, and perhaps a more disastrous one, of the former experience. She is to be brought to Oakland for examination, and if adjudged insane, committed to an asylum. She is believed to be quite well to do, and owns the property on which she resides.

HOLY GHOST DAY.

Amongst the Portuguese population of the city, great preparations have been made for the annual Holy Ghost demonstrations, which commence tonight. Pyrotechnical display, procession, dancing and feasting will be the order of the evening, and tomorrow the celebration from Holy Ghost hall to the church will take place. The committees will last a week and over, and among the attractions which will be in evidence during that time, are a fine musical program, dancing and feasting will be the order of the evening, and tomorrow the celebration from Holy Ghost hall to the church will take place.

TOWN NOTES.

A. Whelan has sold the Freitas place on William street to Miss Kate Durham, of San Francisco. She will make many improvements on the property. Mr. Whelan will take up his permanent abode there.

The C. E. concert has been postponed to Tuesday, May 24th.

Mrs. Laura Leno and Mrs. J. L. King will leave shortly for a trip through the southern part of the State, visiting Watsonville, Monterey, Santa Cruz and Salinas.

POLITICS IN PERU.

LIMA, Peru, May 21.—The political situation, so far, is a matter of pure speculation, but it is expected that in a few days the horizon will be clearer and it will be possible to form an idea regarding the possibilities of the coming Presidential election.

IMPROVEMENT
CLUB MEETS.

ELMHURST BUSINESS MEN AND PROPERTY OWNERS HOLD CONFERENCE.

ELMHURST, May 21.—Thursday night, the Elmhurst Improvement Club met at the Willows Hotel. The committee on the ball held recently, made a favorable report, showing the affair to have been a success. E. E. Clark, J. M. Bauer, W. Spiegle and H. Notschka were admitted to membership.

The meeting was presided over by V. P. Linde, and the attendance was very gratifying. A resolution was introduced by James J. Toole requesting that a committee be appointed to secure necessary information as to the mode of procedure in organizing a Sanitary District, this being one of the most important and necessary requirements of the town. The committee will report at the next meeting of the club on June 2.

SCHOOL BIDS DESIRED.

The trustees of Elmhurst school district will receive sealed proposals or bids until Monday, June 6th, for the erection of a two-story addition to the present school building. The contract will be awarded at a meeting of the board to be held at the residence of H. B. Arlett on Fifth avenue, June 6th, at 2 p. m.

WHIST CLUB MEETING.

The Pastime Whist club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. Barker, on the corner of Bay View avenue. Four trophies will be awarded.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Conductor Clark, who is convalescing from a recent severe illness, will leave shortly for Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Parsons have removed to Oakland.

TWO CASES OF PLAGUE.

LIMA, Peru, May 21.—Two new cases of bubonic plague were reported to the health authorities yesterday.



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SUNDAY CLOSING
MOVEMENT.

CLERKS AND EMPLOYERS OF HAYWARDS ISSUE AN APPEAL.

HAYWARDS, May 21.—The Clerks' and Employers' Association of this place are using their best endeavors to maintain the Sunday closing rule and have issued the following circular letter appealing to the public to stand by their fight. In opposition to those who are attempting to break the rule:

"Dear Sir or Madam:—For over a year most of the stores of Haywards have closed on Sunday. In that time both employers and clerks have found that they have lost nothing by resting one day in seven. We are grateful to the consumers for their hearty manner in which they have stood by us and their support for one day of recreation. The success of such a movement rests entirely with you and other consumers. We are trying to make the custom permanent, and in this end we ask your aid. There are two stores which refuse to close, and are profiting by the other business houses' shut on Sunday. They are putting in larger stocks of goods, and are taking an unfair advantage of the other stores, which close on Sunday.

By refusing to deal with these houses, you will be doing your part to help a worthy cause. Every Sunday closing, you will help your town.

"We appreciate what you have done, and we hope you will continue the good work. Respectfully yours, The Clerks' and Employers' Association."

HOLY GHOST CELEBRATION.

Commencing tonight with a gorgeous display of fireworks, the ceremonies and festivities of the annual celebration of Holy Ghost day by the Portuguese people will be inaugurated. After the pyrotechnics, dancing will be indulged in at Ned's Bow Hall with music by Rice's orchestra, and on Sunday the procession of the crown will be held. During the day musical music and feasting will be in order and the usual good cheer incidental to the observance of the day will be in evidence.

DIED AT SAN LORENZO.

Thursday, Christian Jensen died at his home in San Lorenzo. He was sixty-eight years old, and leaves a widow, three sons and a daughter. Mr. Jensen was well known to many in Haywards, as he is an old settler in the district. He was held from his home tomorrow at 2 p. m.

POSTMASTER'S SALARY INCREASED.

The salary of the postmaster has been increased to \$1700 a year, from \$1600, the original amount.

NATIVE BORN PLAN FETE.

A fete is being planned by the Native Sons, to take place on or about September 10th. The fete will be held at the Hotel Hamilton, and will be a grand affair. The committee to consider the project, an indoor fair, contemplated, and several other schemes for amusement and recreation are in view. The Oakland Native Sons will have a special admission day in Haywards, they having received a cordial invitation from the local party to do so.

INCIDENTS IN
FRUITVALE.

GENERAL HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST IN AND ABOUT TOWN.

FRUITVALE, May 21.—Tomorrow, at the Congregational church a number of children are to be consecrated; Rev. E. B. Palmer will perform the ceremony. The following parents will bring their little ones: Mrs. J. H. Woods, J. H. Stone, R. Reid, C. Browne and E. S. Warren.

A large number of the pledges will be published and left in business houses for the public to sign.

An invitation extended by the Clerks' and Employers' Association to attend a meeting regarding Sunday closing, on next Wednesday evening, was accepted.

PARCE TO BE GIVEN.

For the benefit of the Women's Improvement Club, a farce will be given in the course of the next two weeks, by Miss Kins and Miss Obermiller. It will be presented at the Opera House. The contemplated opera was given up on account of the time and money required.

WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET.

The Women's Civic Improvement Club will hold its next meeting on Monday, May 23, in Chabot Observatory Hall at 8:30 o'clock.

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KATHERINE GILMAN AT THE LIBERTY.

Counter attractions don't seem to decrease the number of people that attend the Novelty. It appears that Colonel Lubelski's popular and pretty little play-house has a hold on the public, whereby it is looked upon as

Harry Steele, the man on wheels, gave the audience a spell of dizziness last evening when they tried to keep track of this trickster in his many grations on the stage. Steele is the cleverest comedian that ever performed on Reller stage and shows great skill in impersonation. Not only the Flying Dutchman, super-



MISS SUSIE LEHMAN, WHO WILL APPEAR NEXT WEEK AT THE
BELL THEATRE.

kind of artists.

A colored team, consisting of a very large woman and an exceedingly tall man, give us something in the monologue and singing line that is far from the usual novelty by such people. The Leonard Brothers, acrobats, are up to date, and Sid Baxter, with his cyclist on the tight wire, does some wonderful performing in this regard. The two sets of moving pictures are a real treat for this week. The one showing the Russians and Japanese in skirmish combat is taken on the scene of actual hostilities and is true and natural, and the naval engagement or bombardment of Port Arthur is also a very interesting sight. The usual custom will prevail next Monday, when there will be an entire change of bill. Colonel Lubelski promises some great attractions for the coming week. This means a program better

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LANDERS STEVENS AT THE MACDONOUGH.

Sports

NELSON WINS-YACHT EN-TRIES-MUNROE TALKS.

Sports

OAKLAND ON TOP-BASEBALL AND SPORTING NOTES.

Sports

FIGHTS FOR LOVE AND HONOR.

JACK MUNROE WHEN CHAMPION MAY TAKE A WIFE WITH HIS HONORS.

They call that big, husky, rosy-cheeked gentleman Jack Munroe a minor, but he looks more like a staid business man and talks according to the rules laid down in the grammar. Munroe arrived from the East yesterday and will go into training today for his fight with Jim Jeffries, which takes place in June.

When seen last night by a TRIBUNE reporter Jack did not seem very willing to tell the true inside story of his life, but finally opened up his heart—at least, one side of it.

"No, I am not married and I don't think I will before the seventeenth." "Of what month?" was asked.

"Well, just the seventeenth, I expect to get enough fight in the ring without having to marry to get it. About my condition? I never felt more able to go into the ring than I do at this minute. I came out here to fight Jeffries and am going to try and win. If I have any kind of ability, I know that Jeffries is a tough customer for me to handle, as I met him, you know, in a six-round bout at Butte some time ago. I do not create my chances and I shall not neglect a minute's work of my training."

Munroe has the appearance of health and is a giant in stature and strength. He has a clear eye and complexion and looks trained to the hour. Sports will be surprised when Munroe and Jeffries enter the ring. Jack has improved wonderfully in speed and science since his recent fight with Tom Sharkey.

In that fight he was all to the good, but Munroe is not satisfied and aims for championship honors. While the odds on the betting will probably be the champion, the sporting men seem to think that Munroe will give Jeff the hardest battle of his career.

Last night from gallery and ring-side there were about for Munroe the minute the house knew that the modest man near the ring in white sweater and rosy cheeks was the Butte miner, Jack made a characteristic speech, brief but full of meaning. When he was introduced by Referee Welch in the center of the ring the crowd howled, Munroe said:

"I like this country," said Munroe at Tim McGrath's place. "You people out here make a fellow feel at home almost before he steps from the train. Why, do you know, that when I arrived in San Francisco nearly all the sporting fraternity that I had heard of were there, to greet me. I had Eddie Graney, Tim McGrath, Spider Kelly, Eddie Smith—why, say, the whole bunch was there with bells. If I should defeat Jeffries I would like to settle here in California."

OAKLAND AGAIN IN LEAD.

LOCAL TEAM BY GOOD WORK FORGES TO THE FRONT.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Played. Won. Lost. Pct. Oakland 47 23 24 .491

Dolly Gray couldn't play with the Comets yesterday and was hit for eleven base hits. Buchanan pitched on great game and only allowed eight to the Angels. Buchanan walked only two men and was steady throughout the game. The final score resulted in a victory for Peter's men by 5 to 2. Byrne caught like a veteran. The score:

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Los Angeles 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 Base hits 0 2 0 2 0 1 1 2 0 0 Oakland 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 2 0 5

Three-base hit—Krugger. Two-base hits—Byrne, Toman, Devereaux. Sacrifice hit—Flood. First base on errors—Oakland. First base on errors—Los Angeles. Los Angeles 6, Oakland 6. Struck out—By Gray, 1; by Buchanan 6. Double plays—Gray, 1; by Buchanan 6. Time of game—1 hour 45 minutes. Umpire—McDonald.

Ball Tossers of Southern Pacific. The Southern Pacific employees have the baseball fever. The night yardmen of West Oakland have organized a baseball team under the management of that old-timer, A. D. Thompson, who will manage the team during the coming season. Munroe Thompson would like to arrange a match with the firemen or any other duly organized baseball team.

The railroad boys are known to be a most enthusiastic lot of athletes and have attracted with them would undoubtedly attract a large crowd. The ball players are in practice and are looking for honors. Under the popular management of Veteran Thompson, the men think that they will be led on to victory. The full line-up of the team is as follows:

Southern Pacific Company's Night Men's Baseball Team—A. D. Thompson, manager; C. C. Hemler, pitcher; Wm. Drake, catcher; J. Stuever, second base; Ed. Nobletta, left field; E. C. Rowland, short stop; M. Cabral, right field; J. C. Hawley, third base; G. W. Archibald, center field; J. T. Davis, first base; J. Tretheway, catcher; J. McDough, extra; A. Strubridge, pitcher.

P. FLYNN'S STORE PERMANENTLY LOCATED. Mr. P. Flynn, the well-known pioneer dry goods merchant, who for a long period of years was located on Broadway, near Thirteenth street, is now established in a new and commodious building at 409 and 411 Twelfth street. Mr. Flynn is now showing one of the most varied and up-to-date inventories in velvet, silk, dry one gun and has ever exhibited in this city, and as to the prices, Mr. Flynn has always enjoyed the reputation of selling his stock as low as possible. His store has been known as the reliable place of business—a recommendation that any firm might be proud of. Mr. Flynn's new quarters only a week, Mr. Flynn has reason to feel elated at the lucrative patronage that has been bestowed upon his popular store. It goes without saying that there will be a steady increase in the amount of business done by this firm, for at all times purchasers are invariably satisfied with any dealings made at Mr. Flynn's popular store. An inspection of his large and varied stock and the prices he charges for the same will convince the most skeptical buyer that this favorite and reliable dry goods house.

ERICKSEN IS IN GREENLAND. COPENHAGEN, May 21.—The Danish scientific expedition to Greenland, under the leadership of Erikson, has arrived at the Danish colony of West Greenland, after much hardship and suffering. The expedition reports that it found the whaling ship Gloa, with Captain Amundsen's magnetic North Pole expedition on board, at Dalrymple Sound. All the members of both expeditions are well.

OVERALL DOES A GOOD STUNT.

PITCHES GREAT BALL AND PUZZLES THE SIWASH AGGREGATION.

"Ovie" Overall was the bright and shining constellation in yesterday's game between Tacoma and Seattle. He simply pitched winning ball and the Siwash couldn't find him. He was there in plain sight but the ball was always somewhere else. Seattle had a bunch of errors to account for. Barber who was knocked insensible Thursday was again in the box and pitched a fair game though he was somewhat wild. Seattle was beaten by 7 to 4.

The score: RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Tacoma 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Base hits 2 2 0 2 1 0 4 0 11 Seattle 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 4

Struck out—By Overall 7, by Barber 2. Bases on balls—Overall 2, Barber 7. Hit by pitcher—By Barber. Wild pitches—Overall 2. Stolen bases—Casey 2, Mohler, Barber, Delehanty, Frisk. Two-base hits—Sheehan, Barber, Hall. First base on errors—Tacoma 1. Seattle 2. Sacrifice hits—Overall, Van Halen. Double plays—Mohler to Hall to Krueger, Hall to Frisk, Frisk to Casey—Tacoma 3, Seattle 5. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire—Huston.

RELATIVES GET COIN. PORTLAND, Me., May 21.—One-half of the \$1,000,000 estate which Solomon H. Chandler, of New Gloucester originally willed to the American Board of Foreign Missions has been awarded by the probate court to his four nephews and his brother's widow, residents of New Gloucester.

Mr. Chandler was a rural bachelor who died in 1903, leaving several wills. The heirs presented one which divided the estate equally between them and the American Board. The latter filed a will calling for the whole estate but the heirs have been successful.

TO EXTEND LINES. ARMORE, I. T., May 21.—It is semi-officially announced here that the "Frisco" railroad will extend its lines westward. Since its completion into this city last year, Armore has been made the terminus. The Frisco parallels the Choctaw road east of Armore for fifteen miles. It is planned to take up this track and re-lay it west of this city. The "Frisco" and Choctaw will then use the same track east of Armore.

It is thought that the new road will connect with the Rock Island west of here, but the place of junction is unknown.

WHY THE NEGRO IS BLACK. On the bare arm painted a broad line in Indian ink and expose the arm to the strong sunshine. A slight inflammation sets in on the unprotected skin, but not under the black paint, which excludes the light rays (but, of course, the heat rays). Some days after the skin is darker (sunburned), except where the Indian ink was painted. Exposing the arm again, the inflammation sets in only in the white line. The brown pigment caused by the sun (sunburned) at the first exposure protects the skin against the chemical rays. Therefore are negroes black, and travelers in the tropics may protect themselves from the sun by black or red paint.—London News.

Although the government doesn't encourage counterfeiting, it employs a lot of congressmen who pass bad bills.



KRUGER, OAKLAND'S CLEVER CENTER, ELDER WHO HAS MADE A GOOD SHOWING THIS SEASON. (Photo by Dorsaz.)

CANOLE WAS IN FAST COMPANY.

BATTLING NELSON: TOO MUCH OF A FIGHTER FOR FALL RIVER LAD.

It was a case of a fighter against a clever boxer. A man trained to the hour and a man over confident and not up to the true pugilistic notch.

When Martin Canole and Battling Nelson went into the ring at Woodward's Pavilion last night there were few among the sports who did not concede that there was something to it.

Amund Harry Corbett's place there was nothing but 2 to 1 money on Canole. When the men weighed in both were at the required 133 pounds and neither had experienced any difficulty in making it. A big crowd assembled to witness the weigh-in and Canole from his superior form was immediately made the favorite.

The battle itself was a disappointment. While both men were ready to fight all the way around the ring, Canole made a strange showing as far as the result goes.

Up to the sixth round Martin had it all his own way leading rights and lefts at will but his blows lacked force. He clearly out-boxed Nelson but the latter had a knockout that was a side partner with his name. It was a very clever set of rounds up to the eighth. Both men started in a spar and in the fourth round Nelson was evident little damage was done to the body that the men were out for a knockout. A few light rights and lefts were handed out in this round. As the fights progressed the boys began to mix matters. A hard right, the jaw in the fourth round, Nelson was evident back gamely and planted a hard right and left to the jaw which made Canole realize that he had company in the ring.

In the eighth round both boys began to change their tactics. Battling rushed and planted a nasty left to Canole's nose drawing a stream of red. The blow was a fierce one and took a lot of fight out of the Fall River lad. Nelson was clearly the victor in the eighth round and though Nelson followed it up. He almost had Canole out and he was hanging on but the gong saved a dream punch.

PORTLAND TAKES BEFORE ANOTHER.

HARDEST FOUGHT GAME OF SEASON PLAYED WITH THE SEALS.

The Portland-San Francisco game resulted in a defeat for the Seals. The game was one of the hardest fought of the season. Both pitchers played well and had control of the ball. The winning run was made in the ninth on a two-base hit, followed by a long outfield drive.

The score: RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Portland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 Base hits 0 0 0 2 1 0 1 1 1 9 San Francisco 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

Earned runs—Portland 1. Stolen bases—Nadeau, Drennan. Bases on balls—Off fourth 2, off Verkes 3. Struck out—By Verkes 5, by Verkes 8. Two-base hits—Steelman, Verkes, Nadeau, Sacrifice hits—Meany, Irwin, Massey. Double play—Steelman to Beck, Left on bases—Portland 6, San Francisco 6. First base on errors—Portland 2. Time of game—1 hour 35 minutes. Umpire—O'Connell. Attendance—2200.

STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—The following stock quotations up to noon today are furnished by Sutro & Co., of 321 Montgomery street:

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

Bay County Power Co. 5%	101	102
C. C. & B. M. & C. T. 5%	82	82 1/2
Hawthorn Co. & S. 5%	98	98
Los Angeles Gas & Water 5%	101	101
Mt. St. Ry. 1st Con. Mfg. 5%	113 1/2	113 1/2
Northern Ry. of Cal. 5%	106 1/2	107
Northern Ry. of Cal. 6%	109 1/2	109 1/2
Oakland Transit Co. 5%	113 1/2	113 1/2
Oakland Transit Co. 6%	102 1/2	102 1/2
Pacific Electric Ry. 5%	104 1/2	105
S. P. Ry. of Ariz. 5%	108	108
S. P. Ry. of Ariz. 6%	109 1/2	109 1/2
Spring Valley Wat. 5%	105	105
Spring Valley Wat. 6%	106 1/2	106 1/2
Water 5%	100	100

WATER STOCKS.

Contra Costa Water Co.	35	40
Spring Valley Water Co.	37 1/2	38

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

Gas Light & Power Co.	35	35
Mutual Electric Light Co.	113 1/2	113 1/2
Pacific Lighting Co.	67	67
San Fran Gas & Elec. Co.	60 1/2	61 1/2
Stockton Gas & Elec. Co.	61 1/2	61 1/2

POWDER STOCKS.

Giant Powder Co.	60 1/2	61 1/2
Vigort	43	43

SUGAR STOCKS.

Hawthorn Co. & Sugar Co.	49 1/2	49 1/2
Honolulu Sugar Co.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Makaweli Sugar Co.	21	21 1/2
Pauahua S. P. Co.	14 1/2	14 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Alaska	12 1/2	12 1/2
Cal. Fruit Cannery Assn.	100 1/2	100 1/2
Cal. Wine Assn.	92	92
Pacific Coast	170	170

SALES.

10,000 S. V. Water 1%	98 1/2	98 1/2
100 S. V. Water	8 1/2	8 1/2
100 S. V. Water	37 1/2	37 1/2
12 Pac Lighting	57	57
25 S. V. Water	113 1/2	113 1/2
1,000 Bay Counties	101	101

Vacation in Yosemite. Thousands Going This Summer. The Santa Fe has hundreds of applications for tickets in their baggage car to Yosemite Valley, the short, quick way.

BEFORE LOCAL MASTS.

CALIFORNIA YACHT CLUB SAILORS HAVE TWENTY-THREE YACHTS IN RACE.

"Hard a-lee!" It will be a "ye-ho! ye-ho! mr boys!" tomorrow when the sailors of the California Yacht Club start in the first race of the season. Great things have been done and great things are expected of the yachts and their crews. Special preparations have been made by the yachtsmen to make this a day of showing and class.

It was previously expected that the preparation gun would be fired at 11:30. The hour has been changed and the warning gun will be fired from Captain Bauer's yacht at 11:20. It will be a one-gun start and the yachts will get away at 11:30. The time limit for the winner is set at four hours.

Last night the handicaps were fixed as follows: Polvorosa and Iola scratch; Shamrock III, 65; Mabel A, 55; Surf, 45; Bachelor, 40; Frances, 42; Vega, 40; Catherine, 37; Little, 30; William, 32; Occident, 23; Challenge, 26; Spray, 27; Idler, 27; Hazel, 3; Corsair, 25; Elche, 25; Secret, 25; Pacific, 18; Gypsy, 12; Thelma, 4; Jessie, 8.

There is no doubt that among this class of sailing boats that the contest will be sharp and sailed to a limit by the crews that man the crafts. The Gypsy has a good chance of winning and should surely win the trophy which is awarded to the winner of the season. Captain Clark's boat Gypsy won honors last year and should be in the top-notch class again. The Gypsy's crew is confident and will give a good showing.

The Elgin is put on the 32 second mark, but the boat has a good chance and will give the fleet a hard run. She has been repaired, graced and put in excellent racing shape. Commadore Shaw's flagship the Idler, is handicapped at 27. Fictious has to make good, Gypsy 12 and the favorite, Thelma, 4.

Tyler and Byrbee, joint captains of the newly built Polvorosa, are confident of winning and are with Iola on the scratch.

vineyardists in the Pleasanton and Livermore and Mission San Jose districts is also quite complete, and we thank the donors for their kindness in furnishing the same.

We also acknowledge sales of hops from the Pleasanton Hop Yards, which establishment is one of the largest hop yards in the world, and whose products are not only used in the United States but exported to foreign countries.

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Knowing the cubic contents of a tank how would you find the number of gallons it would contain?

How would you find the number of bushels held by a bin 8 feet long, feet wide, 8 feet high?

Given the length and width of a tract of land in rods how would you find the number of acres?

Is there any difference in the method of finding a commission for selling and one for investing?

If by selling two articles at the same price each, you gain a certain per cent on one and lose the same per cent on the other will you gain or lose on the transaction?

Write out a promissory note for \$650 dated July 1, 1888. Interest at 6 per cent. If this note is not paid until

September 16, 1891, what will be the amount due?

A note dated January 1, 1890, for \$10000 bears interest at 6 per cent. The following endorsements have been made upon it: March 16, 1890, cash \$657.75; July 22, 1890, cash \$80.45; December 31, 1890, cash \$25.00; March 1, 1891, cash \$500.00. What will be the amount due on June 14, 1891?

What is true discount? Present worth of a debt equals what?

Which is better, and how much, to buy flour at \$6.75 per barrel on six months' time, or to pay \$8 cash, money being worth 5 per cent?

A treasurer is offered a new machine for \$450 cash \$750 on two months' credit, or \$525 on one year's credit. Which offer is the most advantageous for him, and how much better is it than the next best, with money worth 7 1/2 per cent?

Work examples 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, on page 219 of the State Arithmetic.

A man sold a horse and received a 60-day note of \$150 without interest, which note he sold at a bank at 10 per cent discount, without recourse. If the horse cost \$120, how much did he make?

Find the cash value of a bill of goods which were sold me for \$330, less a discount of 30, 10 and 5 per cent.

The tax assessed upon a town is \$20,014.50; the town contains 2580 polls, taxed \$625, and has an assessed real estate valuation of \$4,062,000 and of personal property to the value of \$227,400. Find the rate of taxation, and the tax which pays for one poll and whose property is assessed at \$15,000.

What is the square root of a number?

In an army of 55,225 men be drawn up in the form of a square how many men will there be on a side?

How many rods of fence will be required to enclose 10 acres of land in the form of a square?

Name the three sides of a triangle. With any two sides of a triangle given you can find the third side, by knowing the angles. To find the long side Add the squares of the two short sides and extract the square root of their sum. To find either of the shorter sides Subtract the square of the given side from the square of the hypotenuse and extract the square root of the remainder.

Work examples 9, 10 and 18, on pages 248 and 249, State Arithmetic. Pay particular attention to example 17 on page 249 of the State Arithmetic. Diagram and work several such examples as the above.

What is the distance in rods from the N. W. corner to the S. E. corner of a section of land?

What is the difference between a radius and a diameter? What is a circumference?

What length of wire will it take to band a carriage wheel 5 feet in diameter?

What is the circumference of a circular lake 721 rods in diameter?

What is the diameter of a circle having a circumference of 112 rods?

Work and rework examples 14 and 15, on page 251 of the State Arithmetic.

THE YUKON WILL SOON OPEN.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 21.—Steamer Navigation on the Yukon between White Horse and Dawson will open June 1. This announcement came from the agents of the steamship lines operating between Seattle and Lynn Canyon.

The information is based upon the reports made by the White Pass and Yukon railroad officials at White Pass.

HENNESSY HAS DISAPPEARED.

RICH MAN IS LOST AND NO
TRACE OF HIM CAN
BE FOUND.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Friends of Francis P. Hennessy, a wealthy mine owner, with extensive interests in Mexico and well known in Chicago and San Francisco, report his disappearance in this city May 4. They have been conducting a quiet search, led by the police here and in New Jersey, but absolutely no trace has been found of the man after he paid his bill at a Broadway hotel. It is known that he had more than \$3000 in his possession at that time.

Mr. Hennessy came from a Mexico via Chicago where his family lives, in the latter part of April. His grand home was to investigate a cyanide process for the extraction of gold.

The plant was described as located in a New Jersey town, just across the Hudson from New York. On May 4, he paid his bill at the hotel and left a letter there to be called for by an old friend living at Leonia, N. J., saying that after investigating the cyanide plant there until May 11 when he intended sailing for New York, Hennessy failed to appear at Leonia, and did not sail for Mexico. No trace of his whereabouts in New Jersey could be found and letters to his son at 3800 Union avenue, brought the information that nothing had been heard from there since May 4. Fears of foul play are now felt.

LANG-ANDERSON WEDDING AT ALVARADO

ALVARADO, May 21.—Miss Carrie Anderson and Christian Lang were married at the home of the bride's parents, on Thursday. The bride was in street costume and a reception was held at the home of the bride's father for the relatives and near friends of the happy young couple who, with the usual bangles, wished them much happiness in their married life.

Last Friday evening the Five Hundred Club met at the home of Mrs. E. V. Burr. The prizes were won by Miss Mildred Nauert and E. M. M. M.

Mrs. Hayden has returned to her home at the residence of her father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morgan of San Leandro, spending Sunday with the Nauert family.

A very enjoyable party was given at Boyers Hotel Saturday evening last. Captain Jacobs and daughter, Miss E. Jacobs, were the guests of honor.

Mrs. J. Simons entertained a number of friends at a family Monday evening.

P. Aston and family have moved to Oakland. L. Carter now occupies their house.

Mrs. A. Norris spent several days last week with her sister in Alameda.

The symphony orchestra of the Continental Hotel, San Francisco, will give a concert at the Grand Hotel, San Francisco, on Sunday.

Mrs. H. Lampher of San Francisco is spending the week with a mother, Mrs. J. J. Joyce.

BRITISH SOLDIERS ARE AN BUSHED.

NEW YORK, May 21.—A party of mounted infantry with nail bags was ambushed two miles from here on Thursday, says a dispatch from the London Times.

The British soldiers, the eighteen soldiers composing the escort fought gallantly, but lost one man killed, two wounded and seven horses killed and wounded.

What Captain Otley with a relieving party came out to twelve to fifteen Thibetans were seen dead. Otley drove the enemy across two farms, but found them in great numbers.

Four villages on both sides of the river four miles south of Gyang Tse, and was compelled to retire. One man was lost. It is possible that the daily post will now be discontinued.

DYE WORKS TO CONSOLIDATE.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Plans have been announced for the consolidation of the leading dye wool interests in the country, which will be known as the American Dye Wool Company and will be incorporated next week in Pennsylvania with a capital of \$2,000,000.

The information is based upon the reports made by the White Pass and Yukon railroad officials at White Pass.

Plants in Boston, New York, Pennsylvania and the West Indies will be taken over by John C. P. of Chester, who will be at the head of the new company all of the stock of which will remain in the hands of the interests to be combined. It is claimed two-thirds of the trade will be controlled.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, May 21.—The listless drift of prices for stock in Wall street this week indicate the waning tone of the speculative sentiment. The timidity and the ultimate effects of the flood of gold exports are subjects of some uneasiness, which have not been justified by any perceptible effect in the money market. Declining railroad earnings, the moderate expressions of traffic officials over the prospects, discouraging views over the course of the iron and steel trade, a growing conviction of an impairment of the winter wheat crop to be harvested, unfavorable conditions for the cotton crop and the belief that trade activity generally is on a diminishing scale, have all contributed to the gloom of the stock market.

TO MOVE INDIAN SCHOOL.

HELENA, Mont., May 21.—It was announced that the agents of the Interior Department who have been in Helena for some time looking over the ground with a view of transferring the Indian school at Helena, Pa., to this vicinity, have made a favorable report to the government and that the government has substituted a definite proposition to the owners of the land desired, looking to the acquisition of the property.

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NOTES FOR THE WOMEN

SERVANTS IN RUSSIA.

Since the abolition of slavery the servants are free and their own masters, to the extent that they can choose their own employers; but the law still treats them most rigidly, says Good Housekeeping. The Russian servant is hired for one year, and is to be exacted what his duty is to be, he then sticks to that duty. The footman who answers the doorbell would not help set the table if his life depended on it. The chambermaid never enters the kitchen unless by special order. The washwoman would scorn to scrub or to wash windows, while the scrubwoman will not carry a bucket of water for the laundress. As long as each servant faithfully performs the special duties of his position, all is well; but the neglectful butler, or cook, or chamberman, is sent by the employer with a written note to the police judge, who after carefully investigating the complaints, has a right to order bodily punishment or to write a bad mark in the book kept for this purpose. Several bad marks of this kind make it almost impossible for that servant to get another place. In great Russian households often from twenty to fifty servants are kept, and even the middle class families have two or four. The pay of these servants varies according to the line of work. While the "chiefs" in the kitchen of wealthy families often receive fifteen hundred dollars a year, a cook in an ordinary citizen's employ gets no more than sixty dollars a year and a maid-of-all-work never gets more than twenty-five dollars a year. At Easter every servant gets a present, generally a suit or dress. In our day most of the Russian servants come from the orphan houses or the institutions for foundlings. In all of these establishments, which are conducted by the government, military discipline rules, even for the girls. The children brought up in these houses are taught but little reading and writing, with much catechism and still more prayers for the czar and to the saints. As soon as the girls are twelve years old they are taught household work. They have to help in the kitchen, in the garden, in the laundry, and are taught to

sew and mend clothes. When they are fourteen years old, boy or girl, they are discharged, a place having been provided beforehand. Thus equipped, the girls do not find it hard to do household work as long as they have kind employers they fare very well.

THE IVORY CITY.

For the first time in the history of American expositions, the World's fair of 1904 is upon a competitive basis, without regard to race, color or sex. While it is true that the distinctive work of women as women in the highest and broadest sense cannot be exhibited, in every avenue of endeavor where a woman competes directly with a man, whether in art, education, industry or economics, the result of her labor is entitled to equal consideration with his. Among the gigantic palaces that make up the beautiful "Ivory City" of 1904, there is to be found no woman's building. There is no structure of doubtful architecture, sought out by the curious and cluttered with a medley of indiscriminate handicrafts, tickled broadly as the "work" of women. If this exposition does nothing else, it will emphasize most prominently the fact that woman is no longer a freak, but that woman is no longer produced at all in the field of art or industry, her work is worth while.

SUMMER LUNCHEONS.

The blue larchon is especially grateful for warm weather, for blue is a cool color. Blue is not good for dinner, as most blue flowers lose their color under artificial light. A recent and very beautiful luncheon was in blue and lavender, which is one of the most French combinations imaginable and much affected by French dressmakers. The flowers were pale blue larkspurs which have lavender tints, and a huge bunch of these was placed in the center of the round table in a tall cut glass vase which lifted them out of the way, so that they scarcely cut off the view. They were arranged with their own foliage. The centerpiece on which the vase rested was a large embroidered Japanese piece in lavender and blue—the flowers being wisteria. Little at-

mond boxes are hard to find in blue, so this ingenious woman took white entrance cases and ran narrow blue and lavender ribbons through them. The candles were creamed in blue and lavender. The lavender ones you can buy and the blue will be made to order by any obliging confectioner. If a sample of the ribbon is furnished him a day in advance. The name cards were water colors in blue and lavender corn flowers. The same idea could be carried out in wisteria, blue clematis or blue morning glories.

THE CRUCIAL QUESTION.

The crucial question with Boston's Household Aid Association, which aims to solve the problem of domestic service by training and supplying women as "aids" by the day or hour in all branches of home work is the finding of workers in sufficient numbers. The association reports seventeen hundred helpers on this plan in six months, and one hundred and seventy of the calls supplied. Thirty-three aids have been retained of the forty-one secured. Thus the demand is about ten times the supply. The plan shrewdly contemplated the removal of the supposed stigma from housework; whether this will be achieved is yet too early to say.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY TRAFFIC.

The shocking condition of the employment agency traffic in New York city has reached the public through the work of the Woman's Municipal League and the newspapers. Of fifty employment agencies, investigated, thirty were found to have sent women to disreputable resorts! The league is at work through the State legislature for a law which will forever put an end to the appalling state of things. Miss Frances Keller, the league's investigator, has written an article which will set housekeepers thinking seriously of their responsibility to the persons in their employ.

HINTS ON ENTERTAINING.

Many a hostess has worried herself into a headache in trying to originate something new and novel, or at least out of the ordinary, in the way of light refreshments for a social afternoon or evening.

While chafing dish affairs are always delightful, they are by no means always practical or successful.

Where only one maid is kept it is wiser to have the refreshments prepared beforehand.

Simplicity should be the keynote in entertaining, else hospitality loses much of its joy.

Hot chocolate served with a spoonful of whipped cream is delicious on a chilly evening when served with dainty sandwiches or wafers.

Margarites, which are made of long salted wafer crackers spread with a filling made of the whites of eggs, English walnut meats chopped very fine and enough confectioner's sugar to spread, and butter, are very delicious sandwiches, as very appetizing when served with chocolate or grape juice.

Place the margarites in a moderate oven long enough to make them crisp an hour or so before serving.

A new sandwich is made of thin, even slices of bread and butter or round wafer crackers, spread with a filling made of one-third raisins and two-thirds English walnuts run through a meat-churn and mixed with sufficient grape juice to spread easily.

Whipped cream with chopped nuts stirred into it or dried macaroons rolled fine and chilled and served in sherbet glasses with sandwiches or cake, is delicious.

Angel cream which is made of whipped cream with the whites of eggs stirred in, molded in small molds and packed in ice and served with fruit makes a pretty dish to serve with fancy cakes and wafers.

Apples which have been cored and peeled and either baked or steamed until tender but not broken, are cut into slices and the cores are filled with chopped nuts with whipped cream poured over them and a bit of currant jelly on top and served with angel food.

Junkets made with the different flavored cream served with whipped cream and nut cake are simple and easily prepared.

Almond custard, which is an ordinary custard with chopped almonds in it, is delicious with sliced wafers.

Fruit salads served with cheese straws or cheese wafers are most appetizing.

Bouillon and cream soups are often served in cups with bread sticks or sandwiches.

Women are growing more sensible and beginning to be a law unto themselves in the matter of entertaining.

A CHARMING "AT HOME."

At an afternoon "at home" in New York the bare oak table in an oak dining room with green walls, was dressed in the following manner: The table was oblong, and the center was in the center was first an oblong piece of linen with a fine Battenburg border. The entire linen center of this concealed by a green velvet covered cardboard, and this in turn was completely covered by a handsome piece of Italian silk lace and cutwork. Doilies to match the latter were under every plate and bonbon dish. The low center light of the chandelier was a large shade of green silk, under metal. The shade was green, the shade of green was a light grass green, and the effect was beautiful.

SUITING THE COMPLEXION.

We all know what a wonderful addition to a costume is a collar of lovely lace, how it lights up the face and makes it look younger; that is, if the lace suits the complexion, a fact not always regarded sufficiently by the majority of women. A pure white lace is well borne by women in their first youth, by clear blondes and by women with black hair and the clear white skin that comes occasionally even in dark-skinned people. For the rest, the olive-skinned and the cream-tinted skins, cream white lace is lovely.

AS TO DROP SKIRTS.

Drop-skirts are no longer made with the accordion-pleated ruffle. Women have become so discouraged with the cracking of the silk before the gown has been worn a season, that the circular flounce ruffle has taken its place, with a small gathered ruffle at the foot, which gives the required flare, and is in every way more satisfactory. Dressy skirts continue to be very long.

LACE AND EMBROIDERY.

Embroidery, associated with lace, is to be quite the rage this season. It gives a pretty finish to the linen gown. A blue linen is charming with sprays of white embroidered in white on skirt and waist, with bands of coarse lace

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insertion. Medallions of embroidery as well as lace are also used with good effect on the linen gown.

HIP-YOKE EFFECTS.

Hip-yoke effects, as well as panels, are seen on many of the new skirt models. Bounces, shirrings, puffings and numerous ruffles, with fine tucks and lace, trim skirts as well as waists made of muslin, lawn, or gowns, etc. These summer gowns are very pretty, and some of them quite picturesque, made of the plain, striped or flowered materials, with their large sleeves, bouffant skirts and shirred waists.

SUGAR COOKIES.

One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, two eggs, one cup of milk, three teaspoons of baking powder, one-half teaspoon of vanilla, flour enough to roll out easily. Rub the butter and sugar together till they are smooth, like cream; put in the milk, then the eggs beaten together lightly, then the flour (two cups), which you have sifted with the baking powder; then the vanilla. Take a bit of the dough and put on a floured board and see if it will not do so, but is soft and sticky, put in a handful more flour, but just as little as will do, for these cookies are better the softer they are.

ALMOND STRIPS.

One cup of almonds, blanched and chopped fine, white of one egg, two tablespoons of powdered sugar, twelve banquet crackers. Beat the white of the egg till it is only half stiff, and stir in the sugar and chopped nuts. Spread on the crackers and put in a rather cool oven with the door open till they are dry.

NO LONGER PROPER.

It is no longer the "pr per thing" to take nerve soothers or to seek peniculous exhilarators. We have learned that stimulation and exhilaration must be natural, that health and beauty come from knowing how to eat and drink, to sleep and to work, and to exercise. No amount of physical culture or facial massage will avail if the digestive apparatus is abused. Accordingly in Washington they have limited their dinners to one hour, and in New York they have not only placed a limit upon the time and number of courses, but they are learning to select such courses as will provide the proper amount of nourishment. In other words, they are inconspicuously, perhaps, adopting the rule of moderation. They are eliminating the excess of wines of sweets, of proteins, of highly spiced food, which has heretofore been the predominant feature of the "company" dinner.

THE ROUND TABLE.

Most hostesses nowadays have extra table tops made of the p wood and round. These are used for dinner parties. The problem of covering these is quite a serious one. For a table six feet in diameter which will seat twelve people it is not so difficult to get a cloth. These are made in the piece and come in handsome designs, three yards in diameter. The cloths are twenty-five dollars and the napkins bring the price to forty-five. But for a larger table, the price is almost prohibitive. A ten-foot table will seat

eighteen people and the cloth must be forty yards in diameter. Only one man in the world makes these and the cheapest of them are seventy-five and eighty-five dollars. Of course they are of handsome damask and seamless. A seam in a round tablecloth is ugly and the only way around it is to buy, for a ten foot table, eight yards of heavy, plain, white satin damask at from a dollar and a half to three dollars a yard. Sew this up the center and round off the corners, hemming the outside neatly. Over the seam stretch a wide row of Battenburg insertion. If your table top is of polished wood, the cloth can be cut away beneath the lace. Round pieces of Battenburg mounted around the edges of the cloth with the cloth cut away underneath will make a very beautiful cloth at a cost of from twenty-five to forty dollars. A big monogram should be embroidered on the cloth as an ornament.

SERVING ASPARAGUS.

Asparagus is one of the welcome additions to the available table supplies for the month. While there are a number of excellent ways of serving this healthful vegetable, we can hardly add to its attractiveness by the use of the clothe saucers or combination with other materials. It has, in itself, so characteristic a flavor and so delicate and graceful a form, that plain serving suits it, while we have many a less attractive vegetable to turn into soup and salad.

STRING-BEAN SALAD.

A cold salad of string-beans is very nice on a warm day. The smaller and younger the beans the better the salad. String carefully, cut into inch-long pieces and boil in salt water till tender and set where they will get cold.

For a dressing beat one whole egg and one tablespoonful of butter till foamy, add a teaspoonful of mustard, the powdered, dry mustard—pepper and salt to taste and four tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Put on the fire and keep constantly stirring till it thickens. Should just come to a boil, but not on any account really boil. Should be poured over the beans and well mixed with them.

For potato salad dressing take three tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one of sweet oil, and pepper and salt to taste. Mix very thoroughly and have the salad very moist.

LETTUCE DRESSING.

When people object to olive oil on their lettuce and still like something in the dressing to cut the vinegar, the following might prove acceptable.

Cut two slices of bacon into very small dice and fry in a pan till very crisp; add two tablespoonfuls of vinegar to the bits of bacon and the fat that has been melted from them and pour entire mixture over the lettuce. Pepper to taste.

A PEANUT PARTY.

A novel entertainment given by a very

popular hostess recently was a peanut party. Forty guests were present, and after a few minutes of talk all were given score cards in the shape of peanuts. These cards were about five times as large as regular peanuts and painted to represent them. We took seats at the tables and were given hit pins. In the middle of the table was a pile of about sixty peanuts. The object of the game was to see which of the partners could grab and pick up the most peanuts. The play only lasted about a minute, then proceeded to the next table and then cards punched. Ten times we did this, with their prizes, the lady receiving a silver peanut with a tape measure in it, and the gentleman a watchcase in the shape of a peanut.

After the prizes were given we were each presented with a little bag and told to hunt for peanuts. We found them concealed in every out-of-the-way place all over the house. The prize for the lady this time was a gold peanut with a gold thimble, and the gentleman won a gold peanut with a roll of court-plaster in it.

The winners of the booby prizes were given little dolls made of peanuts, the men getting boy-dolls and the ladies girl-dolls.

The refreshments consisted of peanut sandwiches, salted peanuts, peanut ice cream, coffee and peanut candy.

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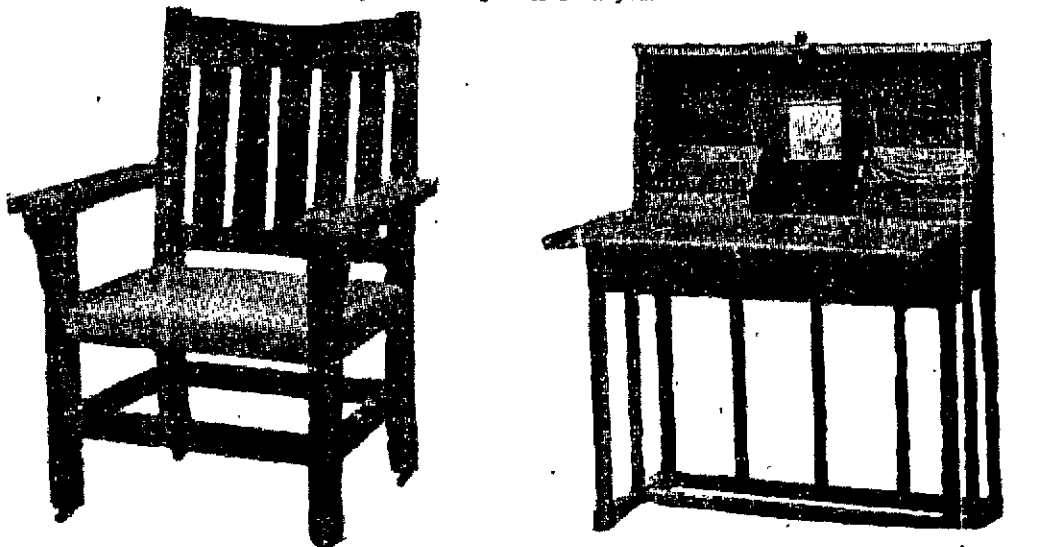
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WHAT THE ST. LOUIS FAIR COMMISSION HAS DONE TO BOOM ALAMEDA COUNTY.

SUPT. CRAWFORD TELLS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF COUNTY

What is Being Done in the Line of Education—Children in the Common Schools.

By T. C. CRAWFORD.

This article was written by T. C. Crawford, County Superintendent of Alameda County Schools, for distribution at the St. Louis Exposition.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Among the advantages which the residents of Alameda county enjoy is that of a comprehensive, up-to-date public school system. It begins with the kindergarten and finishes with graduation from the University of California.

The deaf, dumb and the blind are cared for and educated in the State institution at Berkeley, three miles north of Oakland, while in the latter city a class for deaf mutes receives all whose parents prefer home-life for these afflicted ones. Evening schools for youth and adults furnish opportunities for supplementary education. The design and intention of the school authorities are to give each person of school age in the county an opportunity for an extended education.

THE BEST TALENT.

The best talent that can be secured is in use, and the facts of good wages, the finest climate in the world, life among refined and educated people, the advantages which flow to all from the inevitable influence of a great State University are among the considerations which influence the best educators in their choice of Alameda county as their sphere of work and influence. Brain and mind and energy are centered here, and the 104 square miles of territory are reaping the benefits of our many advantages.

TRAVELING FACILITIES.

The residents of these three cities and of the near-lying, outside territory can reach San Francisco by any of the one hundred and twenty ferry trips across the bay of San Francisco during the time from 5 o'clock A. M. to 1 o'clock A. M. of the next day. This great circulation is constant for twenty hours out of twenty-four. Thirty-five minutes after leaving Oakland one is in San Francisco. The delightful ride across the bay of San Francisco on a ferry boat which carries two thousand would not exhaust, makes the time taken in the passage a delightful recreation.

A HAPPY PEOPLE.

South, and bounding Alameda county, lies Santa Clara county, from which rises Mount Hamilton bearing on its crest the famous Lick Observatory. East, and bounding it lies San Joaquin county, the center of the wheat interest. North, on its boundary lies Contra Costa, whose highest land Mount Diablo, is a base and meridian—one of three in the State—of the United States land survey. In this beautiful section one hundred and fifty thousand intelligent, industrious, progressive, happy American citizens dwell. Thirty-five thousand of this number are between the ages of five and seventeen. These we term, when speaking of school affairs, "our census population." Most of these children were in our common schools last year, and more of them are there today. More than six hundred teachers are engaged in instructing these pupils, and in many of the schools the little ones in the kindergarten are studying under the same general supervision as the older members of the family in the work of the eighth year.

EVERY OPPORTUNITY.

Nearly all the schools maintain a ten-months' term, and some run ten and a-half months. The limits of a pupil's opportunity are his ambition and his strength. It is our aim, educationally, to keep our opportunities in advance of the demand. The magnet of opportunity will always draw the steel of desire. Public sentiment is with the cause of education. Unanimity of feeling makes it easy to raise money for educational purposes. During the year ending June 30, 1903, the county school levy produced two hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars. This year, ending June 30, 1904, the county school fund will be more than a quarter of a million. The total amount raised for public schools in Alameda county for the school year ending June 30, 1903, was nine hundred and forty-seven thousand, five hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$947,525). The appended tables will show the statistics which will answer many questions which one interested would be likely to ask.

OBJECT OF TEACHING.

Knowing that society is the aggregate of individuals, recognizing the fact that all public and family life is but the sum of individual life, the aim is to instruct in such a way that education in respect to others may be the result. Ethics, in the sense of human duty, is prominent as the basic subject. To think, to do, to be right in our intercourse with others is the aim of our work. We seek for moral strength commensurate with mental and physical growth.

SCIENCE OF CONDUCT.

Extract from course of study: Character is the end of education. Building character is the work of education. Society as it exists today, is the product of right and wrong. Wrong is right—TWISTED.

Wrong, in many cases, arises from ignorance. A better knowledge of right would have made a better standard in society. Children often do wrong because of ignorance. They are now suffering, not for their sin, but from ignorance. We do not blame such. They were unfortunate through lack of knowledge. If the right be not known, how shall the wrong be avoided? How shall the right be known, if not taught? The duty of TEACHING THE RIGHT is more imperative than that of teaching to avoid the wrong. The one FORMS character, which wills and does the right, the other URGES against the wrong. FORMATION of character takes away the necessity of REFORMATION of habit.

The teacher is the antithesis of the jailor. If there is a building force of right, opposed to the destructive force of wrong, it is the duty of every teacher to lend a hand in putting that FORCE OF RIGHT into operation. Every influence emanating from the teacher should be one of construction, hence we assign to such the duty of teaching the facts and laws of right CONDUCT.

It is true that instruction does not, immediately, change mental states; but where right, or twisted right, is to be the result of that which surrounds one, it becomes the duty of those who, in a large measure, make the surroundings, to see that these shall "build up for righteousness." The TEACHER is the most potent factor in character building. What "teacher says" is final. The influence of dress, of speech, of voice, of carriage, of manner, is of transcendent importance. The minds of the pupils are like the sensitive plates in the camera, on which the object is imaged with wonderful accuracy. If the teacher would see gentleness, she must be gentle; if she would teach punctuality, she must be on time; if she would see the plant of patience, she must sow the seed. Realizing that the work of the teacher will be lightened by definite instruction, the Board of Education has outlined a course in Ethics, which should be USED AS A HELP, not feared as a tyrant.

The method must be that of the individual teacher. The matter, to some extent, is found under the title "Ethics." A time has been set apart for the consideration of this matter, and the teacher is expected to observe the spirit of this requirement, as well as the letter of it.

MORAL TRAINING.

I. Children must not only be TAUGHT what is right, but they must also DO what is right. It is possible for teachers to breathe into a school a spirit of honor, usefulness and honesty that shall control every new pupil that enters the school. This spirit will put down vulgarity, slang, profanity, impurity, slander, tattling, lying and meanness.

Character is formed by TRAINING and by TEACHING. Bad habits can be changed only by a repetition of right sayings and of right doings, and it is these that training consists.

SELF-RELIANCE.

In order that our pupils may be strong, they are taught to be accurate, to know a thing and to know that they know it. Strength, not known, is almost an equivalent of weakness; hence the necessity of knowing one's power. This foundation of self-reliance—to know that one knows—is kept before our pupils as an absolute necessity.

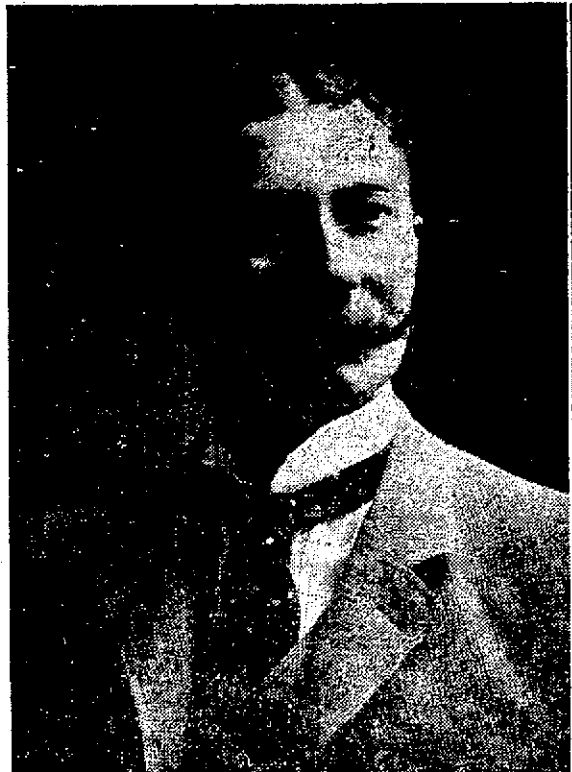
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The Science of Study, or the What, and the Art of Study, or the How.

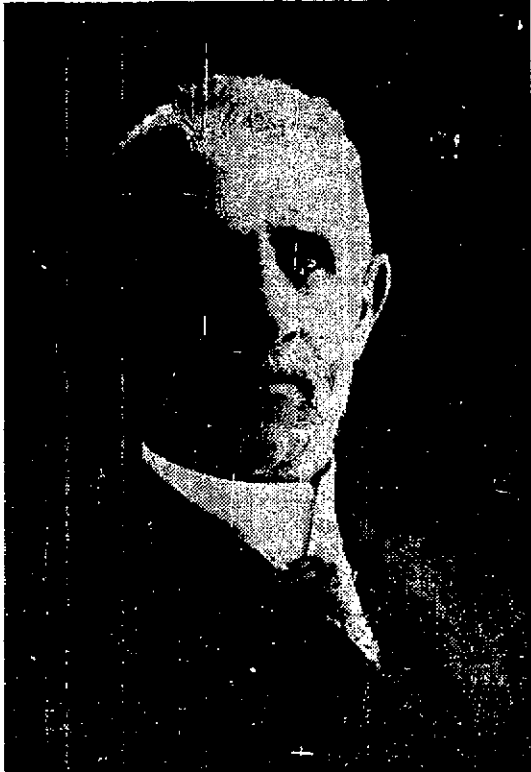
We think that even if the sum of all that our pupils learn during the first ten years of school-life be small, we are amply repaid if the pupil has acquired the art and the habit of study. We group the successive steps as follows: Conditions, Relations, Principles, Processes.

READING.

During the first two years the sub-



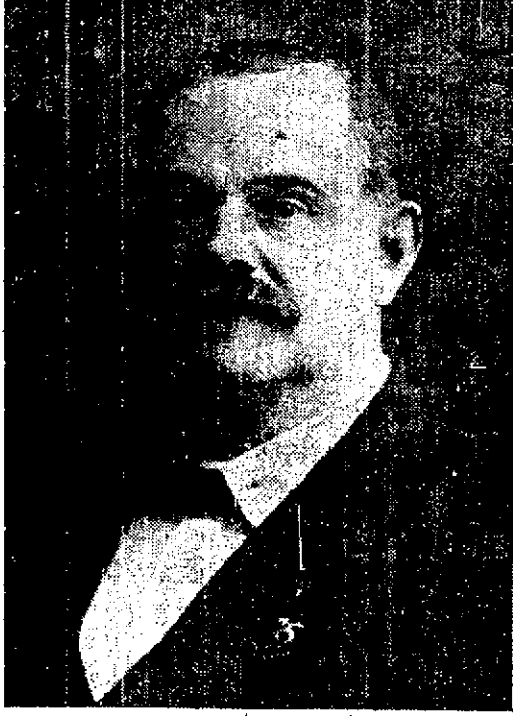
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Alameda County Commissioners to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition—Mr. Pearce is the custodian of the exhibit at St. Louis.

ject of reading, is most prominent. The Rational Method by Superintendent Ward, of Brooklyn is that which we follow, strictly. The pupil must rely largely on himself, must add this to that. Reading thus taught results in self-reliance.

Drawing, singing and writing receive much attention in these grades. We believe in the spelling-book, in the study of words, in the committing to memory a few rules for the formation of derivatives.

LANGUAGE.

The teaching of language—correct speech—is continuous, reaching through all the grades. The formal study of the English sentence is begun in the grammar grades.

History and geography are studied, to a great degree together. History—human life in action—is studied for the lessons it teaches.

Commercial geography is made prominent and production and distribution of the products of commerce are studied thoroughly.

MATHEMATICS.

The science of numbers, as illustrated by problems, is the object to be attained, and when principles are understood problem work ceases. Also the science of accounts receive attention.

Elementary physiology, with special reference to health conditions, is thoroughly taught.

Human education is one of the subjects under Ethics.

Civics as the extension of human conduct under "Rights and Duties of Citizens," is a prominent subject for discussion.

AGRICULTURE.

The culture of the field, forest and garden products is to be a prominent feature in the list of studies. The every-day facts of nature and their use and meaning are to be investigated. Theories are to be tested through the study and knowledge of things—thus we acquire truth.

HIGH SCHOOLS.

Alameda county has seven high schools. During the present school year these schools will receive from the State twenty-eight thousand dollars, a sum greater than any other county or city and county in the State will receive. Most of the high schools are on the accredited list—these send pupils who graduate to the State University without examination. No high schools in the State exceed them.

TRAINING SCHOOLS.

These schools are receiving increased attention. Provisions have been made for erecting in the City of Oakland a manual training building,

to cost one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Berkeley and Alameda are increasing their facilities in this direction, and soon the whole Pacific coast will be furnishing this, the most practical education.

The Polytechnic High School of Oakland has taken rank in what its course of studies covers with the highest in the State, and when the new one-hundred-and-fifty-thousand-dollar building is completed the course in all departments will be complete. All classes of citizens are joined in the determination to keep this school in the front rank of "real schools."

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

In the beautiful city of Berkeley, just north of Oakland, the State institution for the juvenile blind and for the juvenile deaf mutes is located. It is simply repeating what has been said for years, that no State excels California in the tender care which she gives her unfortunate. The children who find a home at this institution are tenderly and safely cared for. Parents who, before visiting it, are anxious and fearful, leave their little ones, assured that the care of a father, the love of a mother are exercised by those in charge.

BLIND EMPLOYED.

Another institution, located in Alameda county, evidences the care of our people for those who from birth or from sickness or accident are unable to fight, on equal terms, the battle of life. The Home of Mechanical Trades for the Adult Blind, located in Oakland, houses and finds employment for over a hundred blind men and women. They are not passing their time in idleness, but are at work busy, contented—some, of the happy. The work that they do is known from one end of the State to the other, and the "Blind Men's Brooms" are used in thousands of homes in California. The re-bottomed, cane-seated chairs which the young ladies of the "Home" turn out are much stronger than when they come from the manufacturer's shops.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

There are not many private schools in Alameda county. Those that we have are such as commend themselves to parents who prefer such to the public schools. To know that a private school in Alameda county is flourishing is to know that it is on a high plane. The few that are here are among the best in the land, and graduates from them are recognized everywhere as being educated, reliable, capable.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

The kindergartener may advance

from his school to graduation from the "University" without ever having left the public school system of California. The capstone of the educational pillar in California rests secure on the upper of the intermediate courses from the foundation to the crown. The educational advantages which the University offers are within the reach of all parts of the county. Hundreds of students leave their homes in Oakland, Alameda and San Francisco in the morning, spend the day in Berkeley and return in the afternoon. More than two hundred electric and steam car trips during the day afford means of reaching and leaving the State University.

MEETINGS WELL ATTENDED.

The tent meetings which opened in West Oakland so successfully two weeks ago have continued to attract much attention from night to night.

Rev. W. J. Speer's splendid stereopticon views have forcibly illustrated the Scriptural truths which he has endeavored to lay before the people. During the past week Rev. Dwight E. Potter of the Union Street Church and Rev. M. Slaughter of the Calvary Baptist Church, addressed the meetings for several nights. The street meetings have been found to be a successful means of advertising the campaign, together with house to house visitation.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the services will be continued each night next week, with special meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons for the children. It is sought to make these meetings for the boys and girls as helpful as possible and to that end J. N. Halliday will give a blackboard talk on Monday. It is hoped that a number of the girls from the Occidental Chinese Home in San Francisco will sing and recite on Wednesday, and H. H. Gribben will speak and make use of a phonograph on Friday. Mothers' meetings will be held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 3 o'clock and for these good speakers and singers have been secured.

FALLING HAIR STOPPED.

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SPLENDID WORK OF COMMISSIONERS IN THIS COUNTY.

How the Exhibit Was Prepared and Sent to the St. Louis Exposition—History of the Commission.

By WILBER WALKER.

During the month of February, 1903, the Merchants' Exchange of Oakland received a communication from Mr. Charles M. Reeves, Secretary Committee on Legislation to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis. A copy of the communication is as follows:

"St. Louis, U. S. A., January 27, 1903. 'To the President Merchants' Exchange, Oakland, California. Dear Sir: An international Exposition will be held in St. Louis to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the first expansion of the nation, a step which made possible the commercial and political development which has given the United States her present commanding position in the world's affairs.

"The Congress of the United States has stamped its approval upon this great undertaking by appropriating \$5,000,000 and the City of St. Louis has appropriated the magnificent sum of \$10,000,000 to aid in its installation in a manner commensurate with its great mission.

"In extent and variety of interests, as well as in the amount of money to be expended, it is designed on a larger scale than any preceding Exposition in the world's history.

"The Missouri Legislature at its last session appropriated \$1,000,000 for its building and exhibit. The Illinois Commission is now in the field backed with an appropriation of \$250,000, which probably will be doubled at the next session. In Iowa a bill appropriating \$125,000 was passed by the legislature; this amount probably will be increased. New York has made a preliminary appropriation of \$100,000, and Mississippi, a State that never before made an appropriation for Exposition purposes, has provided \$50,000 for her participation in this great enterprise.

"The enterprising State of California has always played a prominent part in the development of the great West and in every line leading to the advancement of humanity. Her sons and daughters are among the best of every State and Territory in the Union, and her social, commercial and civil influence extends throughout the whole.

"We ask that you will do everything in your power to pave the way to a liberal appropriation by the legislature, to enable California to be so well represented that it will not be second to any other State.

"We are especially anxious to have California do her full duty in this matter on account of the moral effect it will have on other States. Laying aside all sentiment and State pride and considering it strictly in the light of a business proposition, a liberal appropriation by the Legislature would be repaid many fold with the next few years.

"We trust you will find in the foregoing and in the enclosed leaflet enough to stimulate your friendly interest in this enterprise.

"If you should require specific rather than general information regarding any feature of this Exposition or its development and progress, it will be sent you immediately upon application. Yours very truly, CHARLES M. REEVES, Secretary Committee on Legislation."

ASKED FOR APPROPRIATION.

At a subsequent date a committee representing the Board of Trade and Mr. Theodore Gier, the president of the Merchants' Exchange appeared before the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, requesting them to make an appropriation as authorized by law for the collection and installation of an exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition.

The Alameda County Board of Supervisors took the matter under advisement and at a subsequent meeting appointed Mr. Harry Meek, Mr. Edwin Stearns and Mr. Wilber Walker, Commissioners to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to attend to the collection and installation of an exhibit of the resources of Alameda county.

Mr. Meek declined to serve, and Mr. Shinn was appointed in his place. Subsequently Mr. Shinn and Mr. Stearns declined to serve and at a subsequent meeting of the Board of Supervisors a communication was sent to the Merchants' Exchange of Oakland asking them to designate three commissioners to serve. The Merchants' Exchange of Oakland selected Mr. Theodore Gier, Mr. W. H. Weilby and Mr. Wilber Walker, and they were appointed as Alameda County Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS ORGANIZE.

On the 29th day of September, 1903,

the Commissioners met and organized. Mr. Gier was elected president, Mr. Weilby vice-president and Mr. Walker secretary. The Commissioners immediately entered upon their duty, namely, the collection of an exhibit of the resources and products of Alameda county. The secretary was selected and Mr. Craigie Sharp was employed to assist in the collection of exhibits.

The Commissioners accompanied Mr. Sharp to meetings arranged at San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore and other portions of Alameda county.

An exhibit has been gathered and installed at St. Louis. The exhibit consists largely of agricultural and horticultural products, as it was only possible to install such an exhibit in the agricultural building. Under the rules of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition no collective display was allowed for any State. All exhibits of products and of resources must be entered in the building adapted for that purpose; for instance, the mining exhibit in the mining building, the educational exhibit in the educational building.

The California State building contains no exhibits except for decorative purposes.

It is employed for administration and social purposes.

CREDIT FOR EXHIBIT.

Credit for this exhibit is due largely to committees appointed in different portions of the county, and the Commissioners desire at this time to return their thanks for assistance rendered by these committees.

The thanks of the Commission are also due to Professors Hilgard, Wikson and their assistants for co-operation in every way with the Commissioners and the representatives.

It is largely due to their kindness that we are enabled to secure a valuable collection of plants and seeds, some of which could not be duplicated elsewhere.

Owing to the late appointment of the Commissioners it was very difficult to secure a creditable display of fruit, but through the co-operation of the fruit growers the Commissioners did secure a fair collection of most fruits. Those varieties which were not obtained last season will be procured this season, and thus the exhibit will be completed, although at a later date than anticipated.

AT ST. LOUIS.

The exhibit reached St. Louis in a satisfactory condition. The Commissioners were informed by Mr. Webb N. Pearce, the custodian, that not a single jar of fruit was broken. At the present time the installation is nearly complete, but owing to climatic conditions and scarcity of labor it has been impossible to entirely complete the installation, but within a very few days everything will be placed in position and ready for inspection.

GREAT EXPENSE.

Owing to climatic conditions and the great distance between Alameda county and the Exposition, the Commissioners feel somewhat handicapped in preparing the exhibit.

The immense expense and the great liability of damage to green fruit have rendered it very difficult to decide with regard to the exhibition. Nearly all of the fruit exhibit has been processed, which is the nearest in appearance to the natural state of the fruit that it was possible, as in this way the fruit will be displayed in nearly the natural condition. The Commission are under obligations to the canneries for their liberal supply of canned goods, the finest in the market.

The Commission also desire to thank Mr. H. C. Coward for a fine exhibit of salt, which on being analyzed by the State University, was found to be of the very highest grade. We are also under obligations to the Alvarado Sugar Company for a magnificent display of sugar beet seed through the different processes to the refined sugar.

SOME ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

We have a fine collection of nuts and also of garden and other seed, for which we are under obligation to the eastern portion of the county. We also acknowledge the fine lemons and oranges received from Mr. Gallagors and Mr. Mayhew.

We wish to express our thanks to Mr. F. R. Fassett and his committee at Livermore for very efficient work in procuring for us grains and other cereals from that section of the county.

Our exhibit of wines from the

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